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The PENNSYLVANIA GAZETTE.

Containing the Freſheſt Advices, Foreign and Domeſtic.

By Captain THOMPSON, from Dublin, and Captain HASTY, from Glaſgow, we have the following Advices, viz.

From the Banks of the VISTULA, January 21.

IT is pretended that the Turks, and Confederates of Bar, will be able to bring an Army of 400,000 Men into the Field. It is certain that Preparations are making by the Turks for the Subſiſtence of 800,000 Men; but they work ſo ſlowly, that it is imagined, they will not be able to face the Enemy before July.

Leghorn, Jan. 15. Letters from Corſica confirm the Account of the Affair between the French and the Corſicans in the Neighbourhood of Oletta, which was long and bloody, and terminated in Favour of the latter, who made themſelves Maſters of a great Quantity of Artillery and Proviſions, and took the French Garriſon at that Place Priſoners of War. But Letters from Caſal, dated Jan. 12, contradict the above Account, and ſay, the Corſicans miſcarried in their Attempt to ſurprize Oletta, and were obliged to retire to Mariana, with conſiderable Loſs.

Warſaw, Jan. 28. The Court has received Advice from the Regimentary Stepkowſki, who commands the Troops in the Ukraine in the Room of the Regimentary Branicki, that 50,000 Tartars are actually encamped within ſeven Leagues of Balta, and that ſeveral among them have even advanced as far as the Suburbs of the Place. Theſe Troops have Orders to march, Part of them into New Servia, and Part towards Poland.

The Haydamacks, joined to the revolted Peaſants, have ravaged almoſt the Ukraine, and committed the moſt horrible Exceſſes there.

The Sieurs Krainſki, Potocki, and Pulow, Marſhals of the Confederacy of Bar, are marched with all their Forces to join the Tartars, but the Diviſion under the Command of Pulawſki's Son, is ſtill on the other Side the Neiſter, and refuſes to enter the Ottoman Territories.

Berlin, Feb. 4. The Empreſs of Ruſſia having expreſſed her Deſire to have ſome of the King's Officers as Volunteers in the Ruſſian Army, his Majeſty, in order to anticipate the Wiſhes of the Empreſs, has pitched upon the following Officers for that Purpoſe, viz. Col. de Henkel, Prince George of Anhault-Deſſau, Baron Pfau, and the Sieurs Gaudi, Uſdom, and Durand. Theſe Officers are to rendezvous at Breſlau, and go together from thence to the Ruſſian Army; during the Time they ſerve there, the Empreſs will defray great Part of their Expences.

Viſtula, Feb. 6. The Turks continue to make ſuch great Preparations for War, as if it was their Intention to exterminate the Ruſſians. The Mildneſs of the Seaſon, in ſome Reſpect, favours them; but, on the other Hand, the Badneſs of the Roads retards the Tranſport of their Artillery, and all Sorts of Diſeaſes are already broke out among them, which carry off Abundance of People. Beſides there reigns very great Confuſion in their Army, on Account of the Abſence of the real Chief. The Ruſſians in the mean Time are on the Point of beginning their Operations, their advanced Troops being already in Wallachia, ſo that we may ſoon expect very important Advices from thoſe Quarters.

LONDON,

Feb. 9. Letters from Genoa of Jan. 7. mention Advice being received there, that the French have altered their Plan, which was to wait for the Reduction of Corſica till the Spring, in Conſequence of ſome Intimations from Count Marbeuf, who is of Opinion, that a great Stroke had better be ſtruck this Winter; that accordingly expreſs Orders have been ſent to Toulon, Marſeilles, and Antibes, for embarking immediately, notwithſtanding the Rigour of the Seaſon, a large Body of Troops, and warlike Stores, in order to endeavour at a compleat Conqueſt of thoſe Iſlanders, before the Termination of the Winter.

Letters from Paris mention, that it is not expected there that General Paoli can hold out above one Campaign againſt the Power of France, not only on Account of Superiority of Numbers, but alſo as great Dependance is placed on the Deſertion of ſome of the Chiefs in Corſica, and that in all Probability by the powerful Influence of Gold, more will follow the Example.

They write from Conſtantinople, that the Turkiſh Army, deſtined to act in Poland, will conſiſt of 250,000 Men; that a Body of 140,000 Tartars have Orders to make an Irruption in the Empire of Ruſſia, and that the Sum aſſigned by the Porte for the Expences of the War, amounts to 250 Millions.

The Expences attending the proſecuting a certain popular Priſoner, are now ſaid to amount to no leſs than 900,000 l. which have all been defrayed by one ſingle Perſon.

It is ſaid his Sardinian Majeſty has made a very forcible Remonſtrance to the Court of France, in Relation to the Invaſion of Corſica, which it is hoped will be attended with Conſequences that will be very advantageous for the ſpirited Natives of that Iſland.

By Letters from Corſica, we hear that a Report prevails in that Iſland, that the Dey of Algiers has offered to furniſh the brave Paoli with a conſiderable Supply of Troops and warlike Stores, in order to enable him to preſerve the Liberties of his Country from the Encroachments of his ambitious Enemies.

Feb. 11. We hear the Favourite Toaſt amongſt the Quality is, "May we ſee Mr. Alderman Wilkes go to Tyburn in his gilded Chariot, as High Sheriff, before the Expiration of three Years."

Feb. 13. Letters from Paris, dated Jan. 31, declare, that no News of any Conſequence has lately been received at Court, relating to the Affairs of Corſica. It appears, that the Count de Marbeuf has received Orders to act only on the Defenſive, till the large Body of Troops from Provence arrives to reinforce him, and that then his Inſtructions are to act in the moſt vigorous Manner, in order to reduce the Iſland under the Dominion of France, which, it is thought, will be effected in about two Months, as ſeveral of the firſt Families in that Iſland, have offered to join the King's Troops, provided their Privileges relating to Commerce, &c. are not infringed.

By Letters from Copenhagen, dated Jan. 21, we hear, the King has expreſſed the greateſt Satisfaction at the Manner in which the public Affairs have been conducted, during his Abſence from his own Dominions. The 16th of this Month the Portugueſe and Ruſſian Miniſters had each a particular Conference with his Majeſty, who it is conjectured, will not take any Part in the approaching War between the Ruſſians and Turks.

The King of Pruſſia has bought in all the Demands of the German Commiſſaries, who were denied Payment by the Board of Enquiry in London, after the War. They were paid (or perhaps overpaid) One Million, in lieu of Seven. How this Monarch expects to get in the Remainder, is what the French call, *Un Myſtere de la Cour*. But it is imagined that great Politician would not give even five per Cent. ready Money, if he were not ſure of obtaining the reſt.

Feb. 14. Letters from Kaliſch of the 19th ult. adviſe, that the Confederates under M. Gogolowſki came, on the 31ſt of December, to take Poſt at Schimiegal and Nitſche: Their Chief occupied the latter Place with 400 Horſe, and in the former placed 300 Men; and though the Inhabitants readily complied with every Requeſt they made, yet they committed great Outrages and Cruelties. They carried off every Thing from Nitſche, and all the Proviſions from Schimiegal. They killed more Cattle than they could conſume, broke the Tuns of Wine in the Cellars, and committed other Exceſſes. They ſeized five Perſons, and baſtinadoed them ſeverely on the Soles of their Feet, and afterwards hanged them up, ſuſpecting them to be Spies, notwithſtanding the Aſſurances made by the Inhabitants, and ſome Eccleſiaſtics, of their being Perſons of irreproachable Character; and in Spite of the Intreaties of M. Gogolowſki their Commander. On the 22d ult. a Detachment of Ruſſian Troops advanced to Tſchampin, diſperſed and purſued theſe Ravagers.

It is now thought, that a Bill of Incapacitation will not be brought againſt a certain Gentleman.

It is ſaid, an Application has been made, in a very extraordinary Tone, by the Ambaſſador of a great Power, demanding our taking Part in a Quarrel wherein we are at preſent no ways concerned; and with a haughty Declaration, that not a ſingle Article of Commerce (but through the Medium of other Powers, which muſt enevitably raiſe the Price of them to us) ſhall be permitted to be imported from his Sovereign's Dominions for Britiſh Uſe.

A Letter from Paris, dated January 30, ſays, "The Embarkation of the Troops now going to Corſica, conſiſts of no more than about 15 or 16 Battalions."

It is ſaid Orders have been ſent from Holland, to reinforce and augment the Fortifications of all the Dutch Garriſons and Settlements in the Eaſt-Indies.

The following is His Majeſty's Moſt Gracious Anſwer to an Addreſs of both Houſes of Parliament.

My Lords, and Gentlemen,

"The ſincere Satisfaction you expreſs in the Meaſures which I have already taken, and the ſtrong Aſſurances you give of ſupporting Me in thoſe which may be ſtill neceſſary to maintain the juſt legiſlative Authority, and the due Execution of the Laws, in My Province of Maſſachuſett's-Bay, give Me great Pleaſure.

"I ſhall not fail to give thoſe Orders which you recommend, as the moſt effectual Method of bringing the Authors of the late unhappy Diſorders in that Province to condign Puniſhment."

Feb. 16. By an Expreſs arrived over Land from India, which left Buſſora on the 26th of October laſt, the following Advices have been received from Surat and Bengal, of a freſher Date than any which came by the laſt Ships of this Seaſon.

From Surat they write, that the principal Chiefs of the Morattas were engaged in a War amongſt themſelves.----Theſe civil Commotions of that powerful Race of People will ſecure the Engliſh from being annoyed by them in the War they are now carrying on in the Decan, againſt Hyder Ally.

The News from Bengal is rather unfavourable, as they ſeem to entertain ſtrong Apprehenſions of a Rupture with Suja Dowla; this intriguing Prince has, it ſeems, conſiderably encreaſed his Army, and diſciplined them upon the Plan of the Engliſh Seapoys; he has alſo made a great Addition to his Artillery, from his own Founderies, where he employs Frenchmen, who caſt as good Field Pieces as any brought from Europe; and what appears ſtill more alarming, he has been lately circulating Letters amongſt the neighbouring Rajas, ſetting forth how diſgraceful and ignominious it is to the whole Empire, to ſee the Great Mogul in the Hands of the Engliſh Eaſt-India Company, who dictate all his Councils.

'Tis thought, however, by intelligent People returned from India, that if a War ſhould happen with this ambitious Neighbour of ours, he muſt ſoon fall a Sacrifice, as his Force is ſtill inferior to ours, and his Troops not commanded by European Officers; the only Inconvenience therefore which can probably enſue, will be a temporary Increaſe of Expence to the Company.

This Day came on again at Brentford, the Election of a Knight of the Shire for the County of Middleſex, when John Wilkes, Eſq; being put in Nomination by James Townſhend, Eſq; Member for Weſt Looe in Cornwall, and ſeconded by John Sawbridge, Eſq; Member for Hithe, the Freeholders were unanimous in their Approbation of the Gentleman nominated, and accordingly Mr. Wilkes was returned without Oppoſition.----*The abovementioned Mr. Sawbridge is full Brother to the celebrated Hiſtorian Mrs. Macaulay.*

Mr. Townſhend, and Mr. Sawbridge, both made very elegant Speeches on the Occaſion, and the former was chaired for Mr. Wilkes. The Concourſe of Freeholders was prodigious, and the Acclammations with which they received the Declaration of the Sheriff, ſuch as teſtified the greateſt Joy at the Election of their former Member.

It was this Morning currently reported, that Orders have been tranſmitted to General Gage, Commander in Chief of the Forces in America, to ſend hither, in a Man of War, certain Perſons, accuſed of ſtirring up Sedition.

A Letter from Leghorn mentions, that General Paoli ſummoned a Meeting of the Chiefs of his Party lately; when a new Plan of Operations was agreed on, in order to counteract the Deſigns of the French in their Winter Campaign.

It was this Morning confidently aſſerted, at the Weſt End of the Town, that there is not at preſent any Likelihood of a Pardon being granted to a certain Gentleman, but that he will be left to ſuffer what the Law has and may inflict.

The Expence attending the Northampton Election, on both Sides, is ſaid to have exceeded 100,000 l.

We are informed the military Force of this Kingdom will hereafter be formed in the following Manner, that any Invaſion may become ineffectual and contemptible.

Army of Obſervation, conſiſting of Guards, &c. 17 Squadrons, 7 Royal Battalions, 17 conſtitutional Battalions.

North Column. Stationed in Scotland; 6 Squadrons, 3 Royal Battalions, 12 conſtitutional Battalions, 12,000 Regulars and Militia.

Centre Column. Stationed North of the Thames; 15 Squadrons, 7 Royal Battalions, 29 conſtitutional Battalions, 83,000 Regulars and Militia.

South Column. Stationed South of the Thames; 15 Squadrons, 9 Royal Battalions, 15 conſtitutional Battalions, 76,000 Regulars and Militia.

We hear, that after the Reduction of Corſica, his Moſt Chriſtian Majeſty intends to employ a large Body of his Troops in fighting under the Banners of Mahomet.

[*For more News, and new Advertiſements, ſee the fourth Page.*]

Juſt IMPORTED by

DAVID SPROAT, and Company,

And now opening at their Store, in Front-ſtreet, between Cheſtnut and Walnut-ſtreets, a large and neat Aſſortment of MERCHANDIZE, *which they will ſell on the loweſt Terms, viz.*

A VARIETY *of plain and flowered ſilk gauzes, with flowered bordered aprons and handkerchiefs of the neateſt and neweſt patterns, black and white catgut, thread gauzes, long lawns, check and kenting handkerchiefs, plain and flowered lawns, diaper and table linen, printed cottons and handkerchiefs; a large aſſortment of mens, womens and youths knit thread ſtockings, Iriſh and Scots linens, broadcloths, ſhalloons and buckrams; Scots carpets and carpeting, checks, ozenbrigs, dowlas and bed tick; a full aſſortment of the beſt white and coloured Scots threads, ſtriped and brown hollands, Tartan plad, womens ſtays, garters, bindings and tapes, mens ſhoes and boots, womens leather and ſtuff ſhoes, ivory and horn combs, Clarke's leather powder flaſks, ſhot bags and pen caſes, beſt Scotch ſnuff in bottles and bladders; an aſſortment of ſadlery, cutlery and hard ware; delph ware in hogſheads ſorted; new faſhion wine decanters, with ground ſtoppers, double flint pint and half pint tumblers and wine glaſſes, iron caſt work, conſiſting of camp ovens, with falſe bottoms, compleat; iron pots, ſaucepans, ſkillets, tea kettles and ſad irons, iron grates, ſuitable for chambers or ſtores, nails, and choice Scotch ale and porter in bottles, &c. &c.*

Alſo a quantity of Carolina pitch, turpentine and roſin. 3 M.

ABRAHAM USHER,

HAS removed into Front-ſtreet, the fifth door above Walnut-ſtreet, to the ſtore Meſſieurs John and Lambert Cadwalader lately left, and has juſt imported in the laſt veſſels from London, Liverpool and Glaſgow; a large and general Aſſortment of European and Eaſt-India Goods, ſuitable for the ſeaſon, which he will ſell on the moſt reaſonable terms for caſh, or ſhort credit. 6 W.

To the PUBLIC,

JOHN ORD, has ſet up the Scrivener's buſineſs, and hereby gives notice, that any Gentleman, deſirous to buy or ſell eſtates, houſes, lands, yearly rent charges, annuities, &c. or to borrow or lend Money on good ſecurity, may be aſſiſted therein, by applying to him at his office, in Front-ſtreet, between Market and Cheſtnut-ſtreets, where their buſineſs will be tranſacted with the greateſt care, diſpatch and ſecrecy. Thoſe who pleaſe to favour him in placing out their Money at intereſt, may be aſſured, that he will procure them undoubted ſecurity by mortgage or otherwiſe.

Said ORD, upon application, will, with accuracy, peruſe and examine titles to lands, &c. and inform the poſſeſſors or owners of the deeds relating to ſuch lands, of any defect in their titles, alſo what will be needful to ſupply or remedy ſuch defect.

JOHN ORD.

N. B. Said ORD has ſeveral title deeds, belonging to divers Perſons, who left them with Mr. John Reily, deceaſed; the owners are deſired to apply to him for them. Tbc

For LONDON,

The Brigantine HETTY,
PETER OSBORNE
Commander;

Is a good Veſſel, and well accommodated for Paſſengers; has near two Thirds of her Cargoe ready, and is expected to ſail about the Tenth of this inſtant May. For Freight or Paſſage, apply to JOSHUA FISHER and SONS, THOMAS PENROSE, or ſaid Maſter on board, now lying at Hamilton's Wharff.

Philadelphia, May 4, 1769.

Was FOUND,

On the Sixth of laſt Month, in this CITY,

A SILVER WATCH,

The Maker's Name, JOHN JONES, London. Apply to the PRINTERS of this Paper. ¶

BY virtue of a Writ of Venditioni Exponas, on Saturday, the 20th day of May inſtant, at 10 o'clock, in the forenoon, will be expoſed to public ſale, at the houſe of Philip Graybill, Tavern-keeper, in York town, in the county of York; a griſt-mill, ſaw-mill, plantation and tract of land, with the buildings and improvements thereon, ſituate in Chanceford and Fawn townſhips, York county, adjoining lands of Thomas Grier, William Mackey, William Miller, John Buchanan, and Henry Robinſon; taken in execution, as the eſtate of Samuel Leeper, and to be ſold, by GEORGE EICHELBERGHER, Sheriff. †

THE Members of the CORPORATION of "CONTRIBUTORS to the Relief and Employment of the POOR, in the City of Philadelphia," reſiding in the ſaid City, Diſtrict of Southwark, Townſhips of Moyamenſing, Paſſyunk, and the Northern Liberties, are deſired to meet at the Court-Houſe on Monday, the 8th Day of May (agreeable to Law) to chooſe 12 Managers, and a Treaſurer, for the enſuing Year.

RUN away laſt night, from Newport, New-Caſtle county, upon Delaware, an Iriſh woman, named CATHERINE M'CLURE, a ſhort thick ſet woman, black hair, full eyes, has a kind of a liſp in her ſpeech, about 23 years of age; had on and took with her, when ſhe went away, a brown camblet gown, about half worn, a ſtriped linſey bed gown, one of ſtriped linen and cotton, and one of white linen, one ſtriped linſey petticoat, and one ditto of blue calimancoe, a chip hat, linen bonnet, and two pair of ſhoes. She had a young child, about 6 weeks old, and came in the night into an out kitchen of mine, and left the child, which was almoſt periſhed with cold, before it was perceived. Whoever takes up ſaid Catherine M'Clure, and ſecures her in any of his Majeſty's goals, ſo that ſhe may be brought to juſtice, ſhall have Twenty Shillings reward, and reaſonable charges, paid by me ROBERT SLATER. †

To be LETT by the SUBSCRIBER,

HIS DWELLING-HOUSE, at the Corner of Second and Union-ſtreets, which may be entered on any Time in April next.

Alſo to be Lett, a ſmall Place on Paſſyunk Road, about three Quarters of a Mile from the City. There is on it a new Brick Houſe, two Rooms on a Floor, a Garden well fenced in with Cedar Boards, a Pump of good Water, and a large Barn. It is divided into four Lots; the whole in good Order, produces remarkably well, and the beſt Kinds of Graſs.

¶ CHARLES COXE,

EDINBURGH.

March 3. Last Night, about Half an Hour after Seven o'Clock, arrived an Expreſs from London, with the News that the Decree of the Court of Seſſion, in the Cauſe of Douglaſs, was reverſed without a Vote. The Houſe of Peers met on Monday laſt about Eleven o'Clock, to determine this important Cauſe; only five of their Lordſhips ſpoke, viz. the Duke of Newcaſtle, Lord Sandwich, Lord Chancellor, the Duke of Bedford, and Lord Mansfield; the Houſe ſat till about Nine o'Clock at Night, when the Chancellor ſtated a Vote, for reverſing or affirming the Decree of the Court of Seſſion, which carried reverſe.

The Reſtitution of this noble and illuſtrious Family, gave univerſal Joy to all Ranks of People here; the whole Town was immediately illuminated, and Bonfires appeared in all Corners of this City.

LONDON, *February* 24.

Yeſterday there was a Meeting of the Freeholders of Middleſex, at the Aſſembly-room, Mile-end, in Behalf of John Wilkes, Eſq; there were preſent about 400 Gentlemen. At 12 o'Clock, Mr. Townſhend was deſired by the general Voice to take the Chair, who, in an elegant Speech, aſſerted the conſtitutional Right of the Freeholders of Middleſex, to elect whom they thought proper to repreſent them in Parliament; and having produced many Inſtances of former Expulſions, obſerved, that none of thoſe could, in his Opinion, affect the Caſe of Mr. Wilkes. In which Argument he was ſeconded by Mr. Sawbridge, and the Rev. Mr. Horne, who read a Caſe in Point, which happened in the preſent Reign, of an Expulſion, Re-expulſion, and even an Act of Aſſembly, in the Iſland of Barbados, and their whole Proceedings in the ſaid Caſe diſannulled by our gracious K--- and C----l, as an Invaſion upon the Rights of the People to chuſe their Repreſentatives. Several more Gentlemen delivered their Sentiments to the ſame Effect; and Sir F. Delaval ſtood up to vindicate his own Character and Conduct in the preſent Proceedings, pledging his Honour that he never did, nor ever will, oppoſe Mr. Wilkes, either in the County of Middleſex, or elſewhere. Each of the Speakers concluded with an Exhortation of Unanimity in their Perſeverance to maintain their Right of Election, to be dutiful to the King, oppoſe bad Men, and bad Meaſures, to preſerve the Peace on all Occaſions, and to vote for Mr. Wilkes, and Mr. Wilkes *only*. It was then put up to the Vote, whether they would unanimouſly, and at their own Expence, ſupport the Election of Mr. Wilkes on the 16th of March next, and to uſe the utmoſt of their Endeavours to bring as many Friends as poſſible to Brentford on that Occaſion? When it was unanimouſly agreed ſo to do, and it was added, *viva voce*, that they would rather loſe their Lives than their Liberties.

Feb. 25. We hear 2000 Seamen will ſpeedily be wanted, to man ſome Ships of War, going upon an Expedition of Importance.

There has no Perſon yet appeared to oppoſe Mr. Wilkes in his Election for Middleſex; and as his Friends ſeem to be as numerous and hearty as ever, it is imagined that all Oppoſition will be ineffectual.

We hear that this Day there was a ſecond Meeting of Mr. Wilkes's Friends at the London Tavern, when a further conſiderable Sum was ſubſcribed to ſupport his Intereſt.

According to Letters from New-Servia, ſeveral Skirmiſhes have lately happened between the Tartars and the light Troops of Ruſſia, but without any material Advantage being gained on either Side.

London Tavern, February 25, 1769.

Many Gentlemen, Members of Parliament and others, diveſted of every perſonal Conſideration, and unconnected with any Party, have formed themſelves into a Society at the London Tavern, under the Title of *Supporters of the Bill of Rights*.

The ſole Aim is to maintain and defend the legal conſtitutional Liberty of the Subject. They mean to ſupport Mr. Wilkes and his Cauſe, as far as it is a public Cauſe. For this Purpoſe only they ſolicit the Countenance and Encouragement of the Public, whoſe Emolument and Advantage alone are intended.

Yeſterday Morning ſeveral of the Agents for the Colonies waited upon his Majeſty's principal Secretaries of State, on Affairs of great Importance to North-America.

March 2. *Yeſterday was held at the Town-Hall, in Southwark, the moſt numerous and reſpectable Meeting of the Electors of that Borough, that ever was known in the Memory of Man. Edward Stevens, Eſq; by general Conſent, was appointed Chairman; Sir Joſeph Mawbey, Bart. one of the Members, attended; and the other Member, Henry Thrale, Eſq; came ſoon after, in Conſequence of a Meſſage for that Purpoſe. Sir Joſeph Mawbey defended the Propriety and Neceſſity of Inſtructions, at this critical Period, in Terms that met with the general Approbation of the Meeting, and declared his Intention of ſupporting the conſtitutional Liberty of this Country, without Place, Penſion or Emolument whatever, unawed by Power, and influenced only, not by Men, but Meaſures, and avowed his ſtrong Attachment to his Majeſty's Perſon and Family, and the Principle of the glorious Revolution. A Queſtion was then put, and the Senſe of the Company taken, whether Inſtructions ſhould be given, when there appeared many Hundreds for the Propoſition, againſt about a Dozen of a contrary Opinion. The Inſtructions are in general like thoſe of London; the following is one.*

VI. That, as the Trade and Commerce to our American Poſſeſſions is of the utmoſt Importance to the Manufactures of Great-Britain, *you uſe your utmoſt Endeavours to reconcile the unhappy Differences ſubſiſting betwixt the* Mother Country *and the* Colonies, *to the total Excluſion of the Manufactures of other Nations.*

Paragraph of the Inſtructions from the City of Briſtol.

V. "*That you exert all your Abilities, to* ſupport *and* extend *the Trade and Manufactures of this Nation in* every *Branch. That you will heartily join in all Meaſures for reconciling the Difference, unhappily ſubſiſting between this Kingdom and its Colonies; and that you will be ſtrenuouſly active in obtaining a Repeal of the Laws, impoſing Duties on Britiſh Manufactures exported to America, which has been found* highly *prejudicial to the Nation in* general, *and to this City in* particular."

By Captain CALEF, and others, arrived at Boſton from London, and Captain CREIGHTON, arrived here, in a very ſhort Paſſage, from the ſame Place, we have the following Advices, viz.

WARSAW, February 21.

A COURIER, diſpatched from the great Army of the Ruſſians, arrived here Yeſterday with the following Advices. The Chan of the Tartars of Crimea having marched from Balta, at the Head of about 12,000 Men, and made an Invaſion into New Servia, met upon the Frontiers a Body of Ruſſian Troops, commanded by Major General Alexander Iſakow. They engaged immediately, but the Affair was ſoon decided; for the Tartars, tho' much ſuperior in Number, ran away after the Loſs of about 700 Men killed, and ſome Hundreds taken Priſoners. The Chan went off towards Poland, but General Iſakow followed him; and the Ruſſian Major General Prince Proſſorowſki is alſo marched from Conſtantinow, to make Head againſt him. Another Invaſion of the Tartars into the Ukraine, joined by ſome Arnauts, and ſome Hundreds of the Confederates of Bar, met with no better Succeſs; they were entirely defeated, their Commander killed, and were obliged to repaſs the Nieſter. This happy Beginning gives the Ruſſians great Spirits, and at the ſame Time diſcourages their Enemies.

LONDON, *February* 28.

The Ruſſian Ambaſſador was not at Court on Sunday. Some People on this Account conjecture, that the Demands of that Court have been refuſed here.

March 2. It is ſaid that E--- T-----, though ſome Time paſt apparently lukewarm in the Cauſe of the Patriot, has given Orders to a Gentleman in the City to ſubſcribe for his Account no leſs a Sum than 1000 l.

According to Letters from Hamburgh, it is the general Opinion, that the Court of Berlin will act only in Defence of her own Territories during the War between the Turks and Ruſſians.

It is ſaid that the Genoeſe have agreed to build ſeveral new Men of War for the Service of France, in Conſequence of a late Treaty between the Republic and the Court of Verſailles.

March 4. Yeſterday arrived a Mail from New-York, brought by the Halifax Packet Boat, Captain Jefferies.

Some Letters from Paris mention, that certain Overtures, in the Name of the principal Chiefs of Corſica, had lately been tranſmitted to that Court, which if accepted would put the French King in peaceable Poſſeſſion of that Iſland, without any more Bloodſhed.

March 7. The John and Mary, M'Kennie, from Hull to Virginia, foundered at Sea in a violent Storm, the Crew were taken up by a French Veſſel, and carried into Marſeilles.

Extract of a Letter from Warſaw, dated February 11.

"We have received a particular Account of the two Ruſſian Armies upon the Frontiers; the firſt of which, commanded by Prince Gallitzin, conſiſts of 31 Regiments of Foot, 40 of Horſe, 5 of Huſſars, and 9000 Coſſacks, together with a Train of Artillery of 100 Pieces of Cannon, and a ſuitable Body of Engineers. The other Army, commanded by General Romanzow, conſiſts of 11 Regiments of Foot, 4 of Horſe, 6 of Huſſars, and 10,900 Coſſacks, with a Train of 48 Pieces of Cannon. Each Regiment of Foot is compoſed of 2000 Men, and each Regiment of Horſe of 800; ſo that theſe two Armies will amount to upwards of 130,000 Men, which will be more than ſufficient to oppoſe the Turks."

By a Gentleman arrived in Town from Rochfort, we learn, that the French are buſy in augmenting the Fortifications of St. Cas, Iſland of Rhee, Oleron, and many other Places on the Coaſt of Britanny.

March 8. It is conjectured, that the different Litigations of the grand Cauſe of Douglaſs in France, Scotland, and England, have coſt the contending Parties at leaſt 100,000 l. each. The conteſted Eſtate, it is ſaid, amounts to about 17,000 l. per ann.

Yeſterday Morning there was a numerous Meeting at the London Tavern, of Gentlemen, Members of Parliament, and others, who have formed themſelves into a Society, under the Title of Supporters of the Bill of Rights, when it is ſaid, a large Sum of Money was ſubſcribed for the Support of Mr. Wilkes and his Cauſe, which, with what had been received before, for the ſame Purpoſe, it is ſaid, amounts to upwards of 10,000 l.

They write from Birmingham, Sheffield, and Manchester, that a great Number of Hands are now unemployed, on Account of the little Demand of Goods, owing to the Failure of Orders from America.

March 9. Yeſterday a Number of Merchants, Traders, and Inhabitants, attended at the King's Arms Tavern, in Conſequence of the Advertiſements for a General Meeting, but the Gentlemen who had thought proper, by a ſubſequent Advertiſement (in the Papers of that Day) to forbid the General Meeting, and who had aſſumed to themſelves the Right of reſolving upon, and framing an Addreſs, brought in an Addreſs, previouſly ſigned by a very few, and laid it on the Table to be ſigned by thoſe who ſhould approve thereof; when many Perſons, at leaſt equally diſpoſed to teſtify their Loyalty and Duty to his Majeſty, and their firm Attachment to our happy Conſtitution, being deſirous of having a Chairman, that they might debate with Decency and Moderation the Propriety of the ſaid Addreſs, and its Tendency to conciliate the Minds of his Majeſty's Subjects, inſinuated therein to be ſo very neceſſary at this Juncture, were with great Violence oppoſed in that Deſign; which occaſioned much Tumult and Confuſion. After ſome Time Samuel Vaughan, Eſq; being placed in the Chair, it was reſolved, that a Committee of Nine ſhould be choſen to prepare an Addreſs, to be laid before the General Meeting for their Conſideration on Friday next, and a Committee was appointed accordingly.

They write from Leghorn, that the late Succeſs of the Detachment of Corſicans poſted at the Bridge of Bivinco, was chiefly owing to Captain Kennedy, an Iriſh Gentleman, who was a Lieutenant laſt War under General Wolfe in America, and who has for ſome Time been in the Service of Paoli. He rallied his Men three Times, and charged the French Sword in Hand, till he deſperately wounded their Commanding Officer, and obliged them to retreat with great Precipitation.

Letters from Spain adviſe, that they are recruiting all over the Kingdom, and that their Marine was on a more reſpectable Footing than ever.

They write from Dantzick, that very large Magazines are forming there, for the Uſe of the Ruſſian Army in Poland.

KING'S ARMS TAVERN, March 10, 1769.

At a General Meeting of the Merchants, Traders, and principal Inhabitants of the City of London, purſuant to their Adjournment on Wedneſday laſt, the following Reſolutions were unanimouſly agreed to, and ordered to be printed in all the Public Papers, viz.

That the Means which have been uſed to obtain an Addreſs to his Majeſty were fallacious and arbitrary.

That the producing an Addreſs already ſigned----The attempting, by Noiſe and Tumult, to prevent the Appointment of *any* Chairman, and refuſing to take the Opinion of the General Meeting on the Propriety of their Addreſs----were Meaſures never before adopted by the Merchants, Traders, and principal Inhabitants of the City of London, and evidently inconſiſtent with their Dignity and Character.

That the Merchants, Traders, and principal Inhabitants of the City of London, have always acted, and do now act, with ſo much Loyalty to his Majeſty, Affection to his illuſtrious Family, and Zeal for our preſent moſt happy Conſtitution, that any renewed Declarations of ſuch their Attachment, in this Time of full national Credit, and profound Peace, would have been abſolutely unneceſſary, had not ſome Perſons, from ſiniſter Views, artfully miſrepreſented thoſe of their Fellow Subjects, who oppoſed their arbitrary Proceedings, and refuſed to enter into all their Meaſures, as diſſaffected to his Majeſty's Perſon and Government: THEREFORE, We do, in this public Manner, declare our moſt ſincere and inviolable Attachment to his Royal Perſon, illuſtrious Family, and the happy Settlement in his auguſt Houſe, which we are ready to defend with our Lives and Fortunes againſt all their open and ſecret Enemies; being firmly perſuaded, they are the only Security, under God, for the Continuance of our Liberties, both Civil and Religious. JOHN MILLS, Chairman.

March 11. It is ſaid the Betts, that there would be no Enquiry into certain Tranſactions in St. George's Fields; run 248 againſt 29.

For theſe two Days paſt great Numbers of the Merchants and principal Traders of London, have attended at the Merchants Seaman's Office, in order to ſign the Addreſs to his Majeſty. Near 600 of the moſt eminent and reſpectable Names in the City are already ſigned.

Yeſterday the Ruſſian Ambaſſador received ſome Diſpatches from the Empreſs, and this Morning his Excellency had a long Conference with the Earl of Rochfort, on the Subject of them, which is ſaid to be of great Importance.

March 15. Yeſterday Morning ſeveral Agents for North-America, waited on the E. of Rochfort, on Affairs of Conſequence, relative to the Plantations.

Yeſterday the Right Hon. the Lord-Mayor informed the Court of Aldermen, of the Application that had been made to him to call a Court of Common Council, for the Purpoſe of conſidering of an Addreſs to his Majeſty, and deſired their Opinion and Advice thereon; when the Court ſignified to his Lordſhip, that the Power was in himſelf, and that they had nothing to do with it.

It is ſaid that the Gentlemen, Supporters of the Bill of Rights, have come to a Reſolution to allow Mr. Wilkes 300 l. per Quarter. The firſt Payment of which has been already made to him by the Hands of Sir Cecil Wray, Bart. and James Townſhend, Eſq;

March 16. Yeſterday about 200 of the Gentlemen Subſcribers to the Addreſs, met at the Merchants Seaman's Office on the Royal Exchange, and appointed the following ſeven Gentlemen a Committee to go this Day to wait on Lord Hertford, to know when his Majeſty pleaſes to be waited on with a dutiful and moſt loyal Addreſs of the Merchants and principal Traders of the City of London. Edmund Boehm, Eſq; Chairman, Samuel Smithe, Eſq; John Cornwall, Eſq; Lionel Lyde, Eſq; Joſ. Watkins, ſen. Eſq; Peter Ducane, Eſq; Timothy Walde, Eſq;

Extract of a Letter from Franckfort, February 13.

"A large Sum of Money is arrived here for the Emperor's Uſe. Orders are received here from Vienna, to form immenſe Magazines of Proviſion, Corn and Forage. Some rich Jew Merchants have contracted for large Quantities of Ammunition from Holland. Bouſſet, and others at Liege, have contracted for Forty Thouſand Stand of Arms The Banks of the Neckar and the Rhine are ſwarming with Contractors. This City is filled with Quarter-Maſters, Adjutants, and Engineers, in the Auſtrian and Pruſſian and Service. An incredible Number of French Jeſuits are aſſembled here from all Parts, in various Characters; moſt in the Dreſs of German Officers, and many as recruiting Serjeants, a Character in which they are amazingly ſucceſsful. The Plain near this City, which you may well remember, where you ſaw the brave Heſſians defeated in the laſt War, by the ſuperior Number of the French, not by their ſuperior Courage, on that Spot is now marking out an Encampment for 40 Battalions, and 30 Squadrons. Large Redoubts are likewiſe marked out in the Front of the Line, and 5 in the Rear; each capable of receiving 12 Pieces of battering Cannon.

"It is now affirmed, all theſe great military Preparations are in Conſequence of a ſecret Treaty between the Emperor and the King of Pruſſia. The young Emperor is determined to realize the Character of a Patriot King, to eſtabliſh the Freedom and Independency of the German Princes, and to re-unite to the Empire its diſmembered Provinces.

"Alſace is the firſt Object. The Campaign againſt France will begin early in the Spring, when the Imperial Head-Quarters will be eſtabliſhed at Manheim, from whence an Army of 50 Battalions will enter Alſace, and, at the Concluſion of the Campaign, the Imperial Head-Quarters will be fixed at Straſburgh. From Luxemburgh the Pruſſian Army, led on by its Royal General, will march to the French Frontiers. From Flanders a third Army will form the Siege of Liſle, and enter France. The Army of the Empire will cover Franckfort. The Fortreſs of Huningen is to be given up to the King of Pruſſia, who is declared the Protector of the Helvetic Union, and to have a commercial Company fixed at Oſtend, and Half the Garriſon Pruſſians. Straſburgh to be declared a free City of the Empire, and its ancient Privileges and Immunities granted. Certain Advantages are to be given to the Electors of Palatine and Bavaria, and to the Princes of Deux-Ponts, Wurtenburgh, &c.

"It is unneceſſary to ſay what Fleet will at the ſame Time invade France. I omitted mentioning ſome of the ancient Families of Alſace are to be declared Princes of the Empire, and have the Rank of Nobility, as granted to others."

We are told that *the Supporters of the Bill of Rights*, are looked upon by ſome particular Perſons, in the ſame Light that the Convention held ſome Time ago at Boſton was; and it is ſaid that the ſame Meaſures will be taken to diſſolve and diſperſe them that were uſed on that Occaſion.

March 17. Yeſterday came on, at Brentford, the Election of a Knight of the Shire for the County of Middleſex, when John Wilkes, Eſq; was rechoſen without Oppoſition. Mr. Dingley, who had offered himſelf as a Candidate by Advertiſement in the Papers, appeared on the Huſtings, but was not propoſed by any Gentleman preſent; and though the Sheriffs repeatedly went round the Huſtings, to aſk if any Gentleman would offer himſelf as a Candidate, no one was nominated, whereupon Mr. Wilkes was declared duly elected.

They write from Copenhagen, that a Fleet of five Daniſh Men of War, and ſeveral Tranſports, are now fitting out there.

Some Letters from the Hague inform us, that a Treaty is now negotiating between the Court of Peterſburgh and the States General, the Subject of which is at preſent a profound Secret.

Some Letters from Leghorn mention, that General Paoli had lately diſcovered two of his own Relations to have been engaged in a treaſonable Correſpondence with France.

March 18. A firm and abſolute Coalition, it is ſaid, is ſettled between the G-----lle and R-----m Parties, ſo that it was hinted, "that the Door being now open, perſons may enter whenever they pleaſe."

The laſt Election of a popular Gentleman, who has been thrice choſen Knight of the Shire for a great County in leſs than a Year, is declared null and void, and there will be another Election for the ſaid County on the 13th of April next.

We hear that before the 13th of April next, a Petition will be preſented to a great Perſonage, by a very conſiderable Number of Freeholders of a large County, in Behalf of a popular Gentleman; and alſo relative to ſome Matters concerning themſelves, which are to be urged in the moſt dutiful Manner poſſible.

It is ſaid that Matters are now ſo well concerted, that the next Election will be final.

On Wedneſday laſt an Addreſs of the Gentlemen, Clergy, and Freeholders of Briſtol, was preſented to his Majeſty, ſigned by 284 Gentlemen.

The Addreſs of the Merchants of London is to be preſented to his Majeſty on Wedneſday next, at Two o'Clock.

March 21. A new Writ is iſſued out for the Election of a Knight of the Shire for Middleſex, in the Room of John Wilkes, Eſq; his laſt Election being void.

Yeſterday, at a very numerous Meeting of the Freeholders of Middleſex at the Mile-end Aſſembly, it was unanimouſly reſolved to confirm their Right of Election, by the repeated Choice of Mr. Wilkes for their Repreſentative in Parliament.

It was obſerved, that the clear Right of the Freeholders to chuſe, and the Duty of the Sheriffs to receive their Votes, and to return Mr. Wilkes, had been put beyond a Doubt by the laſt Re-election.

A Motion was made for a Petition to the King, and the Freeholders ſeemed unanimous for that Meaſure; but on further Conſideration the Motion was withdrawn, it being ſuggeſted that ſuch a Petition would come with greater Propriety and Force, if the Choice of the Freeholders ſhould again be defeated.

It is impoſſible to deſcribe the heartineſs of the Freeholders, who proteſted that they would go to Brentford not only every Month, but every Day, if neceſſary, rather than deſert or betray their Rights; and would ſooner lay down their Freeholds, or their Lives, than give up their inherent and unalienable Privilege of chuſing.

Saturday laſt died at Buſh-Hill, near Enfield, in the 88th Year of his Age, Mr. DAVID BARCLAY, late of Cheapſide, where he reſided above 70 Years, and by an extenſive Commerce with America, acquired a large Fortune, and with that univerſal Reputation for laudable Induſtry, ſtrict Probity, unaffected Benevolence and Liberality, as will perpetuate his Memory with Honour and Reſpect to the lateſt Poſterity. He was the only ſurviving Son of Mr. Robert Barclay, Author of the famous Apology for the Quakers, dedicated to King Charles II. and was not the leſs remarkable for having had the ſingular Honour of receiving under his Roof three ſucceſſive Kings on their Acceſſion to the Throne, when they favoured this City with their Royal Preſence.

A Letter from Paris dated March 15, ſays, "The Corſicans have receieved a dreadful blow from their attack on our Poſts at Barbaggio; M. Marbeuf has aſſured our Court, that they loſt the flower of their troops in that encounter. M. Colonna, one of their beſt Officers, is taken priſoner, beſides 500 of their moſt experienced troops. M. d' Ampus, who obliged Paoli to retire at the head of 1200 men, has received the thanks of the Court for his bravery."

Letters received at Paris, from Baſtia, dated Feb. 15. adviſe, that the evening before, the Marquis de Marbeuf retook Barbaggio; when between 2 and 300 Corſicans were killed, and between 6 and 700 made Priſoners, of whom 45 were officers.

We hear orders are given for ſeven new frigates, of 36 guns each, to be built in private dock-yards on the river Thames, for the Government ſervice.

It is imagined that the Body of Merchants, &c. who go to St. James's to morrow to addreſs his Majeſty, will be very numerous, as near 800 reſpectable perſons have ſigned the addreſs.

March 22. *It is imagined that the Body of Merchants, &c. who go to St. James's this Day, to Addreſs his Majeſty, will be very numerous, as near* 1000 *reſpectable Perſons have ſigned the Addreſs.*

Yeſterday there was a very numerous Meeting of the Gentlemen Supporters of the Bill of Rights, at the London Tavern, Lord Mount-

morris in the Chair, when a farther Sum, it is said, was subscribed in Support of Mr. Wilkes and his Cause.

SALEM, April 18.

By the Spirit now prevailing in England, with regard to instructing the Members of Parliament, the Friends of the Colonies entertain the pleasing Expectations of a speedy Change of Measures in our Favour.

BOSTON, April 20.

We learn by Letters from London, That the Agents for the Colonies were determined to petition the House of Commons for the Repeal of the late Revenue Acts: We learn further, that there was no Design in the Ministry to put the Resolves passed by the two Houses into Execution, by advising His Majesty to issue a special Commission, for trying Treason committed in the Colonies (if there had been any such committed) in England.------That it was asserted in the Commons, in the Course of the Debate upon these Resolutions, That such a Commission never would, nor could, consistent with the Acts of the Crown, be issued;---this was peremptorily and positively asserted, and the Crown-Lawyers called upon to answer it.

Extract of a Letter from a Gentleman in London, Feb. 26.

"ONE of your Friends in the House called for the nett Produce of the New Duties throughout the Colonies, and it did not appear they had produced One Shilling: That the Expence of Collecting was too great for the Income.---The Atorney-General declared there was no Treason, nor Misprision of Treason, in the Papers now before the House; which Papers are the Grounds of all the Proceedings."---

The Day Capt. Calef left London, it was said, that American Affairs had been again taken up in Parliament; and that the Speeches were more in Favour of America than at any Time since the Beginning of the Sessions: By which it was tho't by some the Acts would soon be repealed; tho' by others it was imagined it would not be before the next Session: It was the Opinion of the principal Merchants, that the Resolution of Non importation of Goods would save us.

The Duke of Cumberland Packet, failed from Falmouth, for New-York, the 7th of March.

The Editor of the Gentleman's Magazine says, Though the American Transactions may seem tedious *at present*, when every News-Paper is full of them, yet they will afford Materials for an important Part of the History of the present Times.

NEW-YORK, May 1.

Extract of a Letter from a Gentleman in London to his Friend in New-York, dated March 4, 1769.

My dear Countrymen,

"*The prevailing Opinion in this Country now is, that as you find the Ministry firm, and unshaken in their Resolutions, to fix the present Revenue Act upon you; and as the People of Boston did not oppose the Landing of the Troops, which from the injurious Reports of them was expected; that from Fear on the one Hand, and the Love of Ease and Luxury on the other, you will no longer strive against the Measures which have been adopted; but rely upon the Promises of Ministers, and the Justice of your Cause, for a Repeal: Most of your warmest Advocates here believe this will be the Event.-----My Sentiments (tho' they receive no Weight from myself) are totally different; and I have ventured to make such prophetic Expressions of your future Conduct, as these: That you are the direct Descendants of Men, who ventured every Thing; who effected every Thing that Men could do, to secure you an unshaken Inheritance; that you are scarcely emerged from the rough Hands of Poverty; that you have as yet never tasted of the ripe Fruits of Luxury; that you have lived under Forms of Government, which in general leave much Power in the People; that no Distinctions have as yet been made between Rich and Poor; that Independance and fixed Property stand connected with every Class of Men, upon the first Steps of Industry; that you are jealous of every Encroachment upon your dear bought Privileges; that as you are in your Infancy, you are consequently virtuous; which indeed is acknowledged by all who know you: That you have your Eyes open, and feel very sensibly, the fatal Stroke, so artfully aimed at your L------s; that you know the Principles of the Men who now have most Influence, to be the same with those who heretofore attempted to e----- you; that nothing is so little to be depended on as the Promises of a Tory Ministry; and that to be credulous in this Instance, so far as to act in Conformity to their Dictates, is to be for ever ruined; that from the Declarations made by them in P--------t, and the late A-----s to a great Personage, whereby one of the principal Colonies is left without an Atom of Liberty; and that this may soon be the Fate of any other, or all the other Colonies in America; That you remember, with inexpressible Horror and Indignation, there was such a Thing once in England as a Star Chamber Court, and that there may be another in future Time; that from the uniform Tenor and Conduct of the Men who have been instrumental in scourging you, there is no Good to be expected, but every Thing to be dreaded, both here, and in America; that as you know you are slaves when your Property is at the Disposal of another,----as common Sense teaches you to conclude justly, that he who can demand one Farthing, can demand the whole; and as I know, from a personal Acquaintance with many of the principal Men among you, that you are most fully resolved to be free;---I have from these Considerations, formed a singular Opinion, and still believe, you will pursue every legal Measure, tho' ever so arduous; avoid every Luxury, tho' ever so sweet, till you convince your Enemies how difficult it must be, either to enslave you, or drive you to Disobedience. I am afraid to say, that both have been, and both will be attempted! As I am not ashamed of any Thing which I venture to write or speak relative to public Affairs, you are welcome to put my Name to this Letter, if you suppose it can be of any Use to the Cause of Liberty; but if not, I chuse to go under the Name of A MERCHANT.*"

Extract of a Letter from London, per Captain Munds.

"*The Argument of Taxing the Colonies, is now judged, by every sensible Man, to be imprudent and unpolitical, and from the Language of Lord N----h, and the other Ministers in Parliament, they seem to imply, that if the Colonies would recognize the Authority of Parliament, that not only the Glass Act should be repealed or suspended, but a Security offered, that no other Law should be enacted during a Century for the like Purposes. I wish the Differences were accommodated, seeing our Enemies avail themselves of our Distractions, and what wounds this Country, must ultimately affect you in like Manner.*"

Captain Guilford from Jamaica, parted in the Gulf with Captain Gill, in a Ship belonging to Philadelphia, for London, all well.

In Consequence of some Goods being sent from London, in Captain Munds, by the Merchants there, without Orders, and repugnant to the Agreement entered into by the Inhabitants of this City, a Number of the Merchants assembled last Saturday Evening, and agreed, That the said Goods should be stored immediately, without opening any of the Packages; which Agreement was instantly complied with by the Gentlemen to whom they were addressed.

PHILADELPHIA, May 4.

Extract of a Letter from Manchester, March 8.

"In respect to public Concerns, every Thing is carried on with a high domineering Hand, both with regard to our domestic and American Affairs, quite contrary to the Sentiments of the wise and virtuous Part of the Nation. The Majority in the House of C----s is so great, and so venal, that they vote any Thing they are directed; and all our Hopes of Redress now seem to rest in the Expectation, that they will speedily go such Lengths, that the People will bear no longer. We hope for, nay, we doubt not, the Firmness of the Americans, that they will calmly, without the least Rioting, or Disobedience to the Laws, abide by the constitutional Principles they have so universally adopted. I met and consulted with the rest of the Manchester Merchants, to whom the Memorial of the Philadelphia Merchants was addressed; and was lately in London, and consulted my Friends there, and some among those of high Rank; but it was the unanimous Opinion, that if any Attempts in Favour of our Friends were made now, we should miscarry; and that it was better to wait for a more favourable Opportunity.---I am of Opinion that Contingency is not far off."

Extract of a Letter from London, March 20, 1769.

"Mr. Wilkes has been twice expelled, and has offered himself a third Time a Candidate for the County of Middlesex, and on the 16th Instant he was a Third Time elected, without Opposition, tho' one Mr. Charles Dingly, a Merchant in this City, declared himself a Candidate, but a few Hours previous to the Poll; yet in Fact he could not find a Freeholder to put him in Nomination; some People think, had he but polled Half a Dozen Votes, he would have been the sitting Member, as Mr Wilkes (they say) was rendered incapable, tho' he had Two Thousand ready to poll for him. How far this will be admitted in the House of Commons, Time can only discover.---A new Writ is issued, and Mr. Wilkes, I make no Doubt, will declare himself again, tho' he has not yet made any public Declaration."

Extract of another Letter from London, of the same Date.

"We fear the Revenue Act will not be repealed this Sessions; should be much pleased to advise conciliating Measures were likely to be adopted, and shall chearfully exert ourselves to promote so happy an Event."

On Monday next the GENERAL ASSEMBLY of this Province meets here.

On Thursday last Mr. ISAAC HAZLEHURST, of this City, Merchant, was married to Miss JOANNA PURVIANCE, an agreeable and accomplished young Lady.

Captain Sparks, from London for this Place, sailed a few Days before Captain Creighton, and may be hourly expected.

Captain Lockton, from St. Christophers, on the 14th of last Month, in Lat. 23:27, Long. 66:30, spoke a Snow, Captain Montgomery, from New-York for Jamaica, 7 Days out; 16th, in Lat. 25, Long. 67:30, spoke a Ship, Captain Billings, from the Coast of Africa for South-Carolina, with 336 Slaves on board, out 61 Days; 23d, in Lat. 35:10, Long. 70, spoke a Sloop, belonging to Salem, New-England, from Maryland, bound to the West-Indies; the same Day he also spoke a Sloop from Virginia for Bermuda, both 3 Days out, and all well in each Vessel.

Captain Thompson, from Dublin, on the 23d ult. about 50 Leagues from our Capes, spoke the Pennsylvania Packet, Captain Falconer, bound to London from this Port.

Captain Creighton, from London, on the 21st ult. in Lat. 38, Long. 60:30, spoke the Snow Britannia, Captain White, from this Port for Lisbon, 6 Days out, all well.

Yesterday the Ship Marquis of Granby, Captain M'Ilvaine, arrived here from Londonderry, which Place he left the First of April, but brings no later Advices than we had by Capt. Creighton.

ARRIVALS.

From Philadelphia. Captains Davidson, and Castle, at Lisbon; Keith, at Newry; Dingee, at Cork; Whitelock, Taylor, Curry, and Casson, at Barbados; and Captain Conyngham, at Antigua.---Captain Walker, from Wilmington, is also arrived at Barbados.

From Virginia. Captain Ludd, in London; and the Captains Lees, Tenant, and Thompson, at Glasgow.

From Maryland. Captain Hall, at Deal.

Captain Waddell, from NewYork, is arrived at Gibraltar.

And Captain Moodie, from Boston, is arrived at Glasgow.

The Captains Easton, Power, Waterman, and Brown, for Virginia, were at Deal the latter End of February; and the Captains Kennedy, Maynard, and Patterson, also for Virginia; and Captain Hendrick, for Maryland, came down about the Middle of March.------Captain Frost, for Maryland, was cleared out at London the 22d of March.

*** For the Copies of three Letters from Governor BERNARD to Lord HILLSBOROUGH, see the Supplement.

☞ The Members of the *American Philosophical Society*, held at Philadelphia for promoting Useful Knowledge, are desired to take Notice, that their next Meeting is to be To-morrow Evening, at the College. Business to begin precisely at Seven o' Clock.

CUSTOM-HOUSE, *Philadelphia*, INWARD ENTRIES.

Sloop Three Friends, N. Cowper, from Bermuda. Snow Elizabeth, J. Gibbon, Malaga. Ship Catherine, A. Henderson, Barbados. Sloop America, J. Gorham, and Sloop Nancy, W. Marshall, Boston. Brig Elizabeth and Mary, J. Kirkpatrick, Dublin. Sloop Rennis, E. Higgins, Maryland. Brig Molly, J. Lockton, St. Kitts, Ship Fame, P. Creighton, from London.

OUTWARDS. Sloop Fanny, H. Jones, for Dominica. Brig Elizabeth, F. Fearis, Newfoundland. Ship Sally, P. Brown, Madeira. Brig Eagle, J. Cochran, Cork. Schooner Sally, S. Dalling, for Antigua.

CLEARED. Ship Philadelphia Packet, W. Budden, to Oporto. Schooner William, J. Adams, Nova-Scotia. Schooner Charming Nancy, J. Mullowney, Halifax. Schooner Ranger, T. Bacon, Salem. Sloop Rainbow, W. Church, Sloop Molly, J. Chapman, and Sloop Three Friends, T. Parker, Boston. Snow Molly, J. Butler, Cork and Liverpool. Ship Hope, J. Robinson, Bristol. Schooner Nancy, A. Mills, to North-Carolina.

Philadelphia, May 1, 1769.

THE Possessors of the Certificates issued for Money borrowed by the Managers of the Contributions for the Relief and Employment of the Poor in the City of Philadelphia, are hereby directed to bring them in immediately to HENRY DRINKER, Treasurer, for Payment of Principal and Interest, as no Interest will be paid, accruing after the 15th Instant.

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, will be exposed to public sale, on Tuesday, the 23d of May, at 2 o' clock in the afternoon, at the house of John Bartolet, in Busseltown, a certain messuage, and plantation or tract of land, situate partly in Lower Dublin, and partly in Abington township, containing 65 acres, or thereabouts, bounded by lands of Thomas Bourne, William Watkins, and others; late the estate of Isaac Taylor; seized and taken in execution by

JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, will be exposed to public sale, on Tuesday, the 23d of May, at 2 o' clock in the afternoon, at the house of John Bartolet, in Busseltown, a certain stone messuage, and lot or piece of ground, situate in Smithfield, in the Manor of Moreland, containing one acre and a half, and 20 square perches, be the same more or less; bounded by the Southampton road, and lands of John Adkins, Abel Walton, and others; late the estate of John Dorland and wife; seized and taken in execution by

JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, will be exposed to public sale, on Thursday, the 25th of May, at 2 o' clock in the afternoon, on the premises, a certain plantation, or tract of land, situate in the township of Plymouth, containing about 18 acres, and 24 perches; bounded by lands of Alexander Lisle, Barnabas Coulston, John Coulston, and the Great Manatawny road, having a two story stone dwelling-house, stone barn, stables, &c. erected thereon; late the estate of William Lawrence; seized and taken in execution by JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, will be exposed to public sale, on Friday, the 26th of May, at the London Coffee-House, at 7 o' clock in the evening, a certain brick messuage, and lot of ground, situate on the east side of Third-street, in the city of Philadelphia, containing in breadth 19 feet, and in depth 140 feet; bounded westward by Third-street aforesaid, northward by John Clifton's ground, eastward by the next described lot, and southward by ground of John Thornhill, and others. Also a certain wooden shop, and lot of ground, situate the distance of 140 feet eastward from the east side of Third-street, containing in breadth 55 feet, and in depth 55 feet; bounded northward by ground late of William Branson, eastward with back lots, southward with a lot of Thomas Griffith, and westward with the aforesaid lot; late the estate of Henry Clifton; seized and taken in execution by

JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

To be SOLD,

A NEAT CHARIOT,

LINED with light coloured cloth, painted green, gilt pannels, steel springs, iron axles, harness for a pair or four horses, and very little the worse for wear, having run only twelve months round this city. Also a pair of bay HORSES, 15 hands and a half high, gay, gentle and well broke. Enquire of the PRINTERS.

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, will be exposed to public sale, on Monday, the 29th of May, at 7 o' clock in the evening, at the house of the widow Williams, in Front-street, a certain messuage, and lot of ground, situate on the south side of Plumb-street, in the district of Southwark, containing in breadth 70 feet, and in depth 90 feet; bounded northward by Plumb-street aforesaid, southward by Brockden's ground, and eastward and westward by David Chambers's ground; late the estate of Thomas Patterson; seized and taken in execution by

JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

Philadelphia, May 2, 1769.

The day last appointed having proved rainy, we beg leave to advertise, That by virtue of an order of Orphan's Court, on Saturday, the 6th instant, at 3 o' clock in the afternoon, will be exposed to sale, by public vendue, on the premises,

A CERTAIN piece of MEADOW GROUND, about 2 miles and a half from Philadelphia, situate on Greenwich Island, adjoining the lands of Andrew Bankson, Stephen Paschal and William Jones, containing about 50 acres, being part of the real estate of Edward Croston, late of the said city, deceased: The said piece of Meadow is in exceeding fine order, and produces a great quantity of Timothy and Blue-grass. The whole will be divided in nine lots, containing between 5 and 6 acres each; a plan of the whole may be seen at the London Coffee-House, at Ann Croston's, and at the premises, on the day of sale. The Purchasers paying one half of the consideration money on delivery of the deed, to have 6 months credit for the remainder, giving security for the same, if required,

ANN CROSTON, JOHN HUGHES, Administrat.

N. B. If the weather should be bad on the day above appointed, the sale will be held the Monday following, at three o' clock in the afternoon. ¶

To be sold by Way of PUBLIC VENDUE,

ALL the bricks, and other materials, with which the several houses, on the South-side of the State-House square, have been erected, as they now stand. The Purchaser may have a reasonable time allowed to take them away. The sale will begin on Saturday, the 13th Day of this instant May, at 3 o' clock in the afternoon. Attendance will be given at the Place on the said Day, by the Trustees of the State-House.

BY virtue of several writs to me directed, on the 19th day of May next, at the late dwelling-house of George May, in the township of Great Egg-Harbour, will be exposed to sale, by public vendue, between the hours of 12 and 5 in the afternoon of said day, the following described tracts and lots of land, meadow, and cedar swamp, viz. No. 1, contains 127 acres, on which is a good two story frame dwelling-house and barn, with about 20 acres of cleared land, a grist-mill and saw-mill, in good repair, on a large stream of water, situate on the northerly side of Great Egg-Harbour river, near the head of the tide; within a quarter of a mile from said mills is a very convenient landing, where sea vessels can go and come full freighted. No. 2, is 100 acres of timber land, and includes the abovementioned landing. No. 3, is 101 acres of cedar swamp, about a mile from the above mills, lying on Badcock's creek, which is full of timber. No. 4, is 50 acres of marsh, on the opposite side of the river to the first lot, which is now banked, and makes good meadow. No. 5, is 50 acres of land and marsh, on the south west side of the river, at a place called the Upper Pine Hammock. No. 6, is 50 acres of cedar swamp, on Gravelly Run, about 3 miles from the said mills. No. 7, is 46 acres of land, and cedar swamp, lying on the said river, including a landing, called Colt's Landing. Also 125 acres of cedar swamp, in two tracts, a few miles from said mills. Throughout the above tracts of land, in many places, is found large quantities of iron ore, and the stream on which the mills are built, being sufficient, it is thought a valuable iron work might be erected there, and its situation would render the exportation of it very convenient. Any person inclining to purchase, may view the premises, by applying to Charles Steelman, or Samuel Snell, near the same. Credit will be given for two thirds of the purchase money, with paying interest. The whole late the real estate of said George May; seized in execution, and to be sold by SAMUEL BLACKWOOD, Sheriff.

N. B. At the same time will be sold, a quantity of West-Jersey rights. Gloucester, April 27, 1769.

To be sold by way of public vendue, on the first day of June next, on the premises, in the village of Artleborough, commonly called The Four Lanes End, in Bucks county,

A LOT of GROUND, containing about one quarter of an acre, on which there is a good two story stone-house and kitchen, having two rooms on a floor, a good cellar under the same; one other house adjoining the kitchen, 40 feet long, and 20 wide, divided into two rooms for a store-house and shop, with shelves in the same, sufficient to hold a large quantity of goods, a large garret over the same, a framed chair and waggon-house, and smoak-house. One other lot of about 4 acres, with an orchard of upwards of 80 apple trees, a number of peach and cherry trees, a nursery of above 1000 young apple trees, good stable and barrack on the said lot; it is pleasantly situated in a good part of the country for almost any public business, about 22 miles from Philadelphia, 7 from Bristol, and 4 from Newtown; the buildings very good, and convenient for store-keeping, or would suit a tradesman of any kind. The conditions of payment will be made easy, and known at the time and place of sale, by

‡4w. JOHN THORNTON.

WHEREAS JOHN PURDON, of Philadelphia, has assigned over to us, the subscribers, all his goods, debts and effects, in trust for his creditors: This is to desire all persons indebted to him, to make immediate payment; and those to whom he is indebted, are desired to send in their accompts, to ALEXANDER BARTRAM, and GEORGE KENNEDY, Assignees. § April 26.

TO BE SOLD,

A TRACT of LAND, at the upper end of Germantown, containing about 15 acres, with a good stone-house, two stories high, 40 feet front, 2 rooms on a floor, a convenient out-house for a tenant, a framed stable and chaise-house; about 5 acres of the land are well timbered, the other part improved in an handsome flower garden, and a large kitchen garden, an orchard of the best apple trees, and a great variety of the choicest cherries, pears, plumbs, apricots, grapes, and other fruits. Any person inclinable to purchase, may view the premises, and know the terms, by applying to SAMUEL SHOEMAKER.

Chester Goal, April 29, 1769.

NOW in Custody of the Subscriber, a NEGROE Man, named Dublin, who says he belongs to Mr. John Patton, at Berkshire Furnace, in Berks County. His Master is desired to come, pay Charges, and take him away.

¶ JOSEPH THOMAS, Goaler.

Philadelphia, 5th Month 4, 1769.

ALL Persons indebted to the Estate of Nathan Shepherd, late of this City, Carter, either by Bond, Note, or Book Debt, are hereby desired to make speedy Payment to the Subscribers; and those that have any Accounts against him, are desired to bring them in, in order to have them settled. THOMAS SHOEMAKER of Cheltenham, JOHN BROWN, ABRAHAM ROBINSON, of Philadelphia, Assignees. ¶

For CORK,

The BRIG,

ELIZABETH and MARY,

JOHN THOMPSON,

MASTER,

NOW loading at Knoxe's Wharff, will sail the 15th Instant. For Freight or Passage, agree with said Master, or CARSAN, BARCLAY and MITCHELL. §

LONDON, February 16.

We hear that this Morning 200 Tons of Ordnance began to be ſhipped at Woolwich, on board the Elizabeth Tranſport, for the Uſe of his Majeſty's Garriſon of Minorca.

It is ſaid that a great Perſonage has lately declared, that if a certain popular Gentleman ſhould be re-elected, it was his earneſt Deſire that all future expulſory Proſecutions ſhould be entirely dropt.

Some late miniſterial Movements have ſtruck a great Damp upon the Spirits of the Merchants in this Metropolis, who have immenſe Sums owing to them from our American Colonies; inſomuch that they now deſpair not only of recovering any Part of the Debts due to them, but of having any future Trade and Commerce to that vaſt Continent.

We are informed that a Great Perſonage has, within theſe few Days, expreſſed no ſmall Uneaſineſs and parental Anxiety, at the Meaſures that ſeem indiſpenſably neceſſary to be taken with a certain refractory Sett of People, who remain deaf to all Remonſtrances for their real Intereſt.

It is rumoured, that a Fleet will ſhortly be fitted out for North-America, in which will be embarked every Neceſſary to enforce Obedience.

It is thought that Matters will very ſhortly be made deciſive reſpecting America; not only by a ſtrict Support of the ſupreme legiſlative Authority over them, but likewiſe bringing the Inſtigators and Ringleaders of the late Commotions there, to a ſtrict Account for their Proceedings.

Feb. 18. Among the Matters which paſſed on Thurſday Se'ennight at the India Houſe, in the Court of Proprietors, after the Declaration of the Ballot, a Gentleman very nearly allied to L---C----, called on the Directors to declare, whether they had not Intelligence that the French were building a great Number of Veſſels of War in the Province of Bengal; as alſo, whether the French have not Four Thouſand Land Forces at the Mauritias Iſland, and were not accumulating Stores there for their Supply when they ſhould be ſent to the Continent of Aſia? This was not contradicted; but, on this Gentleman's exhorting the Directors to uſe the moſt ſpeedy and effectual Means to ſecure the Poſſeſſions from any Attack, in Conſequence of any of theſe Preparations; the Chairman anſwered, they would do the beſt they were able.

Thurſday was held a General Court of the Eaſt-India Company, when it was agreed to impower the Directors to make an Increaſe of Dividend, if Circumſtances will admit of it, and it is ſaid they will be impowered to give to the Government 400,000 l. per Annum, for Five Years.

Extract of a Letter from Paris, dated February 11.

"A ſtrange and ſudden Change has lately taken Place in our Political Syſtem, attributed ſolely to the Influence of his Majeſty's new Favourite Mademoiſelle Barry, who is a very ſenſible Woman, as well as extremely beautiful. This Lady, whoſe Head is greatly turned to Politics, is no Friend to the Duke de Choiſeul, and much leſs to his public Conduct, eſpecially with Regard to the Corſican War, which ſhe conſiders as a very deſtructive impolitic Meaſure, and in Conſequence thereof, a Stop has been put to the ſending to that Iſland ſo large a Body of Forces as had been intended. The abovementioned Nobleman has thereupon reſigned all his State Employments, which it is generally imagined will be given to the Duke de Chatelet, now Ambaſſador at the Britiſh Court.

It is now imagined that the French Troops will ſoon be recalled from Corſica; but at preſent there ſeems to be a Suſpenſion of Conferences on this Matter by the Accident which the King met with by falling from his Horſe while hunting on the 4th Inſtant, in the Foreſt of St. Germain, whereby he received a Contuſion in his Arm, which is not yet well.

In fine, whatever may be the Reſult of this new Connection, with Regard to the Adminiſtration of public Affairs here, it is certain no Court in Europe has been ſo frequently under the Direction of Female Politics as this; Witneſs, among others, Mad. Maintenon, in the late Reign, and Mad. de Pompadour, in the preſent."

Another Letter from the ſame Place ſays, that the ſpiriting up the Turks to go to War with Poland and Ruſſia, was the D. De C's Plan.

Some Letters from Paris mention, that the Ambaſſador of the Moſt Chriſtian King at the Porte, had made an Offer to the Grand Viſir of a Squadron of French Men of War of the Line, to act where it might be thought neceſſary.

Mr. W. was, very late laſt Night, declared incapable of being a Member of a great Political Society during ſeven Years. The Number of thoſe of the Club who were in Favour of this Determination, are ſaid to have been a great Majority.

Betts, we are told, run laſt Night againſt Mr. Wilkes 235 to 89; notwithſtanding which our Readers may ſee, by the annexed Addreſs, that Mr. Wilkes intends ſtarting again for the Plate, at the enſuing Races at Brentford.

To the Gentlemen, Clergy, and Freeholders of the County of Middleſex.

"GENTLEMEN,

THE Unanimity you have ſhewn in the ſecond Choice of me as your Repreſentative, has not prevented my ſecond Expulſion; another Writ is ordered, and I muſt again entreat you to confirm your former Choice, by honouring me a third Time with your Votes at the enſuing Election, which will be at Brentford on the 28th Inſt. I will never give up the Cauſe, nor quit the Service of my Conſtituents, and make no Doubt that your Perſeverance in Support of your own Rights, by a repeated Exertion of the Powers you derive from the Conſtitution, will, in the End, be crowned with the deſired Succeſs. In caſe of any future Expulſions, I will regularly repeat to you the Offer of my humble Service, that you may have again, and again, an Opportunity of vindicating your moſt valuable Privileges, the Rights of all the Electors of this Kingdom, which I will never abandon or betray.

"I Hope none of my Friends will be abſent from Brentford on the 28th, and I ſhould be particularly obliged by their early Appearance.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your faithful humble Servant,
JOHN WILKES."

King's Bench Priſon,
Saturday, Feb. 18.

Mr. Wilkes's ſecond Expulſion is now reported to be founded on the ſame Principles with, and confirmed by Precedent of Sir Robert Walpole's Caſe; to wit, that the Expulſion of a Member in one Parliament, renders him incapable of ſitting in the whole Courſe of that Parliament.

It is ſaid a Petition is prepared, and which fills the largeſt Skin of Parchment that could be procured, by the Freeholders of the County of Middleſex, in Favour of a certain Gentleman, and ſoliciting a Redreſs of Grievances, in order to be preſented to a great Perſonage.

One of the Articles in the above Petition is ſaid to contain a Requeſt, that ſome of the preſent Pilots be thrown overboard.

Mr. Bingley, in a very remarkable Affidavit, annexed to his North Briton of this Day, makes Oath, that he will never anſwer to Interrogatories as long as he lives, unleſs he ſhould be put to the Torture.

On Wedneſday laſt the Hon. Commodore Byron kiſſed his Majeſty's Hand at St. James's, on being appointed Governor and Commander in Chief of Newfoundland.

Moſt Accounts from the Continent agree in the Suppoſition, that a certain ambitious Power has ſowed the Seeds of Diſſention between the Turks and the Ruſſians, in order to bring on a general War in Europe.

Orders are given for a General Muſter of the Royal Regiment of Artillery, when a Draught, it is ſaid, will be made for foreign Service.

Feb. 21. We are informed that the Petitions preparing to be preſented to a great Perſonage, by the Freeholders of more than one County, contain a Requeſt of a very extraordinary Nature.

A Report prevailed this Morning, that two more Expulſions were expected ſoon to take Place.

Some Letters from Leghorn mention, that even General Paoli himſelf begins to deſpair of being much longer able to defend his Country; on Account of the repeated Revolt of the Chiefs of Corſica to the French Intereſt.

We hear an Expreſs arrived in Town Yeſterday, to a foreign Ambaſſador, which brought Advice of the Death of his Holineſs the Pope.

The Virginia and Maryland Merchants, we hear, elegantly entertained ſeveral Perſons of high Rank, on Thurſday, at the London Tavern, in Biſhopſgate-ſtreet; and that after Dinner, a Plan of great Importance to the Colonies, was taken into Conſideration.

At a very large and reſpectable Meeting of Gentlemen yeſterday at the London tavern (Friends of Mr. Wilkes and the Conſtitution) at which Meeting many Members of the H. of C. attended, a Subſcription was ſet on Foot to ſupport the Cauſe, when the Sum of 3340l. was immediately ſubſcribed, and a Committee appointed to carry the ſame throughout the Kingdom.----The Preamble to the Subſcription Paper runs in the following Manner: "Whereas John Wilkes, Eſq; has ſuffered very greatly in his private Fortune, from the ſevere and repeated Proſecutions he has undergone in Behalf of the Public, and as it ſeems reaſonable to us, that the Man who ſuffers for the Public Good, ſhould be ſupported by the Public, We, &c. &c."

Laſt Night a very numerous Meeting of Gentlemen, in the Intereſt of Mr. Wilkes, was held at the Swan Tavern, Weſtminſter Bridge; and likewiſe another at the Prince of Orange Coffee-Houſe, when it was agreed to ſupport the Intereſt of that Gentleman.

The Election for a Knight of the Shire for the County of Middleſex, which was fixed for the 28th inſt. is poſtponed till the 16th of March.

Feb. 23. Yeſterday a Gentleman in a high Department in the Law had the Honour of a long Conference with his Majeſty at St. James's.

According to Advices from Vienna, their Imperial and Royal Majeſties are determined, if poſſible, not to take any Part in the preſent War between the Turks and the Ruſſians.

A Letter from Paris, dated Feb. 13, ſays, "Notwithſtanding his Majeſty's late Accident, he gave a private Audience, on the 7th Inſtant, to Baron Goltze, Miniſter Plenipotentiary from the King of Pruſſia to this Court, and he had a long Conference with his Majeſty."

It is ſaid, that 1,800,000l. will be wanted on Exchequer Bills for the preſent Year.

A country Gentleman, of a large Eſtate, who delights much in gardening, obſerved at a Coffee-Houſe at the Court End of the Town, that the M------y had been employed in nothing but *grubbing up Liberty*, and *planting Taxes*.

A Courtier was lately obſerving to a patriotic Gentleman, that the only Way to deprive Mr. Wilkes of his Popularity, would be to grant him a free Pardon; you are miſtaken Sir, replied the other, the beſt Expedient would be to tack him to the preſent M-----y, which would render him thoroughly odious to every Man in the Kingdom.

Feb. 24. Letters from Conſtantinople ſay, that the Engliſh Ambaſſador had demanded a private Audience of the Grand Vizir, in order to communicate to him ſome Orders he had juſt received from the King his Maſter.

The Imperial Troops appointed to form a Line on the Frontiers of Hungary as far as Auſtrian Silefia, we are told, amount to 80,000 Men, and are cantoned in ſuch a Manner, that they can be drawn together in a few Days.

We are informed that a Committee of the principal Merchants, trading to North America, will in a few Days attend the Levee of the Right Hon. the Earl of Hillſborough, Secretary of State for the Colonies, on Affairs of Importance.

Letters from Leghorn aſſure, that three large Ships from Tunis have lately arrived at Corſica, with Money, Proviſions, and warlike Stores, for the Uſe of General Paoli.

We hear from Vienna, that great Quantities of warlike Stores are preparing in the Army of Obſervation, which makes it conjectured, that they may probably be employed otherwiſe, than merely as Spectators of the Tranſactions between Ruſſia and the Porte.

Mr. Wilkes's Friends are very ſanguine with reſpect to the Subſcription which was opened to ſupport him, at the London Tavern; and ſome go ſo far as to ſay, that it will amount to near 40,000 l. in the Courſe of next Week.

It is now reported, that the Pardon of a popular Priſoner is deferred till the Arrival of a certain Nobleman from abroad.

The effective Troops in Ireland, by the ſeveral late Draughts to America and the Mediterranean, do not exceed 4780, Foot, Horſe and Dragoons. Their Militia at preſent alſo is merely nominal, as was ours ſome Years ſince. As the French, before Admiral Hawke laſt defeated them, had meditated a Deſign of invading that Country, even when their Army was complete, what would be their Situation now, with ſcarce a Third of their Complement, ſhould they take it into their Heads to form ſuch another Deſign?

The Election for an eminent County, it is ſaid, will be deferred much longer than has been reported.

It is reported, that a Petition is preparing by ſome of the Livery of London (which will have in it ſome extraordinary Requeſt) in order to be laid before a Common Hall, for their Approbation and ſigning.

Extract of a Letter from the Hague, February 14.

----"You may venture, on your Side of the Water, to lay a good Bett, that the Dutchies of Cleves and Weſel will not long be in the Hands of Pruſſia, but in thoſe of the States of Holland. They are to cede to him, in Return, the Province of Groeningen. What Advantage will accrue to either on this Exchange is not certain, but Princes ſeldom make theſe Exchanges but where the Profit is to both.----The French, Spaniſh, and Pruſſian Miniſters here are inſeparable."

We hear a certain Baronet will bring to a noted Tavern 50 Gentlemen, to ſubſcribe 1000l. each for the Support of Mr. Wilkes.

They write from Sweden, that from the Influence of a certain ambitious Court, who is ſuſpected to have fomented moſt of the late Diſturbances that have agitated Europe, a great Alteration ſeems likely to happen very ſpeedily in the Affairs of that Kingdom.

[*For the Remainder, turn to the Second Page.*]

RUN away from the ſubſcriber, living at Newark, two ſervant men; one named JOHN DAILY, a well ſet young fellow, about 5 feet 9 or 10 inches high, black hair, tied behind, about 25 years of age; had on, when he went away, an old white cloth coat, a rediſh brown cloth jacket, blue breeches, broken at the knees, grey ſtockings, old ſhoes, old ſtriped linen ſhirt, and a red handkerchief; profeſſes to be a Miller by trade, and has been in this country for ſome time; The other, named JOHN JONES, about 5 feet 8 inches high, a ſlim fellow, blind of one eye, and about 40 years of age; had on, when he went away, a little bound hat, a thin Wig, with one curl at bottom, and old mixt purple coloured coat, broken at the arms, no jacket, old ſtocking web breeches, old grey ſtockings, old ſhoes, and old buckles, not fellows; he profeſſes Horſemanſhip. Whoever takes up, and ſecures ſaid ſervants in any of his Majeſty's goals, or brings them to their maſter in Philadelphia, living in Second-ſtreet, on Society-Hill, at the Blue Bell, ſhall have Three Pounds reward for John Daily, and Twenty Shillings for John Jones, and reaſonable charges, paid by me

† JOSEPH ANDERSON.

Lancaſter County, April 18, 1769.

STOLEN from the ſubſcriber, living in Lampiter townſhip, Lancaſter county, on the night of the 12th inſtant, out of the ſtable, a bay HORSE, about 15 hands high, 5 years old, his two hind feet white, has a ſaddle mark on his left ſide, paces and trots. Whoever takes up and ſecures ſaid HORSE, ſo that the owner may have him again, ſhall have Forty Shillings reward, and reaſonable charges, paid by STEPHEN MAYER. †

FIVE POUNDS Reward.

RUN away, the 17th of April laſt, from the ſubſcriber, living at Moſelem Forge, near Reading, in Berks county, in the province of Pennſylvania, an Iriſh ſervant man, named PATRICK WHITE, about 23 years of age, 5 feet 5 or 6 inches high, looks mild, yet deſigning, thin jaws, pale complexion, long face, pitted with the ſmall-pox, light grey eyes, drowſy as if inclined to ſleep, thin brown hair, thick legs, broad round ſhoulders, with a ſtoop in his neck, walks wide, ſlow and lazy, ſpeaks good Engliſh, tedious in ſpeech, and when merry is fond of rhymes and poetry, chews and ſmokes tobacco, is fond of drams, and other liqour, very loath to work, but much inclined to loll and ſleep; ſays he ſerved his time to a weaver in Dublin, came to New-York about 18 months ago, travelled through the Jerſeys, came to Eaſtown, was taken up and put in goal for 9 months as a runaway, was ſold and run away again, laſt taken up and put in Reading goal, and ſold by Nicholas Scull to the ſubſcriber: Had on, when he went away, an old brown jacket, an old blue and white mixed coloured cloth jacket, old leather breeches, old felt hat, Germantown light blue woollen ſtockings, new ſhoes, yellow buckles; alſo took away with him two new ozenbrigs ſhirts, one new ozenbrigs and check pair of trowſers. Whoever ſecures ſaid runaway ſervant in any of his Majeſty's goals, or brings him to his maſter, or to JACOB WINEY, merchant, in Philadelphia, ſhall have the above reward, and all reaſonable charges, paid by the ſubſcriber, at Moſelem Forge, or JACOB WINEY, in Philadelphia.

† HENRY SMITH.

N. B. It is thought he is gone towards New-York; all maſters of veſſels, or others, are forbid to harbour or carry him off.

NOTICE is hereby given to whom it may concern, that the owners of a piece or parcel of wild marſh, bounding on Delaware river, in the county of Salem, and province of New-Jerſey, lying and being between the lands of John Mecum and Allen Congleton, do intend to petition the houſe of General Aſſembly of the ſaid province, for leave to bring in a bill at the next ſeſſions of General Aſſembly, for the banking, laying of ſluices, and other things needful to be done, towards draining the aforeſaid piece of wild marſh. §

TO BE SOLD,

A VALUABLE plantation, ſituate in Old Virginia, about 3 miles from Noland's Ferry, and joining to lands of Thomas George, Thomas Maybury, and John Tremble, containing 150 acres, about 60 whereof is clear, and 7 acres of good meadow, and more may be made, the remainder is well timbered; there is on ſaid place, a good dwelling-houſe, and barn, ſtables, and a good ſtill-houſe and ſtill. Likewiſe to be ſold, a young bearing apple orchard, containing 130 trees, beſides peach, and other fruit trees; the place all in good repair, and the title good. Any perſon inclining to purchaſe the ſame, may be acquainted with the conditions, by Anthony Haines, living in Baltimore county, 5 miles from Swoop's iron-works, on Little Pipe-Creek; or by the Subſcriber, living on the premiſes,

FREDERICK WYSELL. ¶

RUN away from the ſubſcriber, living in Cecil county, Maryland, an Iriſh ſervant man, named PHILIP MURPHEY, about 5 feet 7 or 8 inches high; had on when he went away, a half worn hat, 2 jackets, the one ſpotted flannel, with ſleeves, the other a brown, without ſleeves, lately turned, and lined with white ſhaloon, a tow ſhirt patched, a pair of coarſe linen trowſers, made breeches faſhion, old claret coloured cloth breeches, a pair of ſtockings footed with lincey, and half worn pumps. He ſays he is a Copperſmith, and has been ſome time at ſea; he has been 2 or 3 years in the army, and was at the taking of the Havanna; he ſays he received a wound in his ſtomach, and carries the mark; he is a good Cobler, and a handy ingenious fellow at almoſt any thing. Whoever takes up and ſecures ſaid ſervant in any goal, ſo that his maſter may have him again, ſhall have Three Pounds reward, paid by me

‡ JONAS CHAMBERS.

N. B. The ſaid Philip Murphey has ſhort brown curled hair, and may change his name and clothes. All maſters of veſſels are forewarned not to carry him off at their peril.

Germantown, March 1, 1769.

To be SOLD, at public VENDUE, on Monday, the 8th day of May next, on the premiſes,

ONE of the pleaſanteſt ſituated tracts or lots of land, of 125 feet front, on the main ſtreet, in the middle of Germantown, containing between two and three acres of land, with a large two ſtory ſtone meſſuage, of 40 feet long, a large ſtone kitchen, a good pump, a curious, well improved, large garden, a thriving orchard, of a great variety of apple, pear, plumb, apricot, Engliſh walnut, and other curious fruit trees, with many other valuable improvements, and conveniencies, on the ſame. The whole is very well adapted for a country ſeat, or a tavern (or a ſhop, as is there now kept) or any other public buſineſs. Sundry other lots, fit for graſs land (now in corn) &c. will be ſold the ſame day. The purchaſer may (on giving ſecurity, and paying intereſt) have ſeveral years time to pay the greateſt part of the purchaſe money, if deſired. This early notice of ſaid ſale is given, on purpoſe that any perſon, living at a diſtance, willing to ſuit himſelf with a place, ſo well adapted to carry on any buſineſs to advantage, may alſo have timely notice. The ſaid ſale is to begin at two o' clock in the afternoon on the ſaid day. Further information may be had, on ſaid place, of the owner,

CHRISTIAN LEHMAN.

N. B. Said Chriſtian Lehman hath alſo a great variety of curious fruit trees for ſale, ſuch as Engliſh Walnut, pear, plumb, nectarines, apricot, &c. &c. &c. ‖ 6 W.

A COW,

STRAYED, about three Weeks ago, with the following natural Marks, viz. ſhe is of the brindled Kind, and ſmall in Size, her Belly, at leaſt a very conſiderable Part of it, white, and one or both of her hind Feet alſo white. Whoever finds her, and will be ſo kind as to lodge Information with the Printers hereof, ſhall be well rewarded.

Philadelphia, April 17, 1769.

ALL perſons indebted to the eſtate of DAVID JAMES DOVE, late of this city, Schoolmaſter, deceaſed, are deſired to make ſpeedy payment; and thoſe that have any demands againſt the ſame, to bring in their accompts (duly proved) that they may be adjuſted and paid, by ¶

BENJAMIN CONDY, and PAUL ISAAC VOTO, Executors.

RUN away from the Subſcriber, of this city, the 28th of March laſt, at night, an apprentice lad, named JOHN CLEMM, by trade an upholſterer, between 16 and 17 years of age, about 5 feet 3 inches high, fair complexion, round viſaged, marked with the ſmall-pox, brown hair, tied behind, naturally frizzled, curls at the ſides, and has often a down look; he had on, when he went away, a brown bearſkin jacket, with metal buttons, red lapelled jacket underneath, lined with white flannel, a check ſhirt, white drilling breeches, black ſtockings, and ſteel buckles in his ſhoes; he was ſeen at Germantown, and then at Kenſington, partly near the Three-Stores, without a hat. Whoever ſecures the ſaid apprentice, ſo that his maſter may have him again, ſhall receive Forty Shillings reward, and reaſonable charges, paid by THOMAS LAWRENCE.

N. B. All maſters of veſſels, and others, are forbid to carry off, or harbour, ſaid apprentice, or they may expect to be proſecuted as the law directs.

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Copy of a Letter from Governor BERNARD *to the Earl of* HILLSBOROUGH, *dated Boston, November* 1, 1768. No. 5.

MY LORD,

I NOW proceed to conclude my Narrative of my Endeavours to get Quarters for the King's Troops, until I found myself at the End of my String, and could do nothing more.

On Saturday, October 15, General Gage arrived here with his Officers, to look to the Quartering the Troops himself. On Monday I called a Council in the Morning, and introduced the General. He told them that he was resolved to quarter the two Regiments now here, in Town, and demanded Quarters; and that he should reserve the Barracks at the Castle for the Irish Regiments, or such Part of them as they would contain; which has since been determined to be only one Regiment. After the General had left the Board, I sat at it until Eight o' Clock at Night; two Hours after Dinner-time excepted. The Whole was a Scene of Perversion, to avoid their doing any Thing towards quartering the Troops, unworthy of such a Body. In the Course of the Questions I put to them, they denied that they knew of any Building belonging to the Province in the Town of Boston, that was proper to be fitted up for Barracks; and they denied that the Manufactory House was such a Building. This was so notoriously contrary to Truth, that some Gentlemen expressed their Concern that it should remain upon the Minutes; and to induce me to consent to its being expunged, a Motion was made in Writing, that the Governor be desired to order the Manufactory House to be cleared of its present Inhabitants, that it might be fitted up for the Reception of such Part of the two Irish Regiments, as could not be accommodated at the Castle Barracks. This was violently opposed, but was carried in the Affirmative 6 to 5: Upon this I ordered the former Answers to be expunged. This Resolution, amounting to an Assignment of the Castle Barracks for the Irish Regiments, effectually put an End to the Objection before made, that no Quarters were due in Town, until the Castle Barracks were filled.

The next Thing to be done was to clear the Manufactory House, the preventing of which was a great Object of the Sons of Liberty. For this Purpose about 6 or 7 Weeks before, when the Report of Troops coming here was first confirmed, all Kinds of People were thrust into this Building; and the Workhouse itself was opened, and the People confined there, were permitted to go into the Manufactory House. This was admitted to be true in Council by one of the Board, who is an Overseer of the Poor, and a Principal therein. And after the Order of Council was known, several of the Chiefs of the Faction went into the Manufactory House, advised the People there to keep Possession against the Governor's Order, and promised them Support. And when some of them signified their Intention to quit the House, they were told, that if they quit the House, they must quit the Town, for they would be killed, if they staid in it.

I had the Advice of the best Lawyers that, according to the Law and Usage of this Country, the Owners of an House occupied by Tenants at Sufferance, or wrongful Possessors, might enter by any Means they could, and turn them out of Possession, without bringing an Action. It was also certain that the Governor and Council, when the Assembly was not sitting, were perfect Owners of the Estates belonging to the Province, except for Alienation. Upon these two Principles I appointed the Sheriff, and two of his Deputies, Bailiffs of the Governor and Council, for the Purpose of removing the People out of the Manufactory House. The Sheriff was refused Admittance; upon which the Chief Justice went with him, and advised them to give up the House: He was answered, that they had the Opinion of the best------Lawyer in the Province to keep Possession. Upon a third Attempt the Sheriff, finding a Window open, entered; upon which the People gathered about him, and shut him up; he then made a Signal to an Officer without, who brought a Party of Soldiers, who took Possession of the Yard of the Building, and relieved the Sheriff from his Confinement.---This occasioned a great Mob to assemble with some of the Chiefs of the Faction; they were very abusive against the Soldiers, but no Mischief was done. They kept the House blockaded all that Day, and best Part of the next Day, when some of the Council declaring that it was not intended to use Force, although they knew it could not be done without, and the Building not being immediately wanted, the Soldiers were withdrawn on the Evening of the second Day. Thus this Building belonging to the Government, and assigned by the Governor and Council for his Majesty's Use, is kept filled with the Outcast of the Workhouse, and the Scum of the Town, to prevent its being used for the Accommodation of the King's Troops.

After this was over, there was nothing more to be done with the Council, until the Soldiers were billeted in the Public Houses, as far as they would go. This we knew would never be done; but it must be attempted; and the Council left this Business to me alone, without offering their Assistance, which in other Cases has been usual. Indeed I did not ask them, as I did not think the Business would be forwarded by my associating them. I therefore summoned all the acting Justices to meet me in the Council. Twelve of them appeared; I acquainted them that the General demanded Quarters for the two Regiments, according to the Act of Parliament. They desired to take it into Consideration among themselves. I consented, and we parted. Two Justices, two Days after this, attended me with an Answer in Writing, whereby the whole Body refused to billet the Soldiers. But these Gentlemen informing me, that the Justices had been much influenced by the Argument, that the Barracks at the Castle ought to have been first filled, &c. I shewed them the Minutes of the Council, whereby the Barracks at the Castle were assigned to the Irish Regiments, and they must be considered as full. This was quite new to them, the Council themselves having overlooked the Effect of their Vote. I gave them a Copy of this Vote, and returned the Answer, desiring them to reconsider it. Three Days after the same Gentlemen informed me that they had resolved against billeting the Soldiers, but could not agree upon the Reasons to be assigned for refusing it; but the next Day they gave me an Answer in Writing (a Copy of which is here inclosed) signed by Eight of the Justices; two others were against billeting, and gave other Reasons for their Refusal; two others were for billeting, but declined acting by themselves, after so large a Majority of the whole Body had declared for the contrary Opinion.

To shew the Futility of these Pretences, I must observe, that the Act directs the Billeting to be by Constables, Tything Men, Magistrates, and other Civil Officers, and in their Default or Absence, by any one Justice of the Peace. The usual Construction of this Act has been that Magistrates should grant the Billets, and Constables deliver them; and the latter being ministerial, cannot grant Billets, without a Magistrate or Justice ordering them. By Magistrates have been always understood the Magistrates of Corporations, and where a Town is not a Corporation, the Justices are the only Magistrates who are applied to in England, and they deliver the Billets to the Constables, who serve them upon the Public Houses. Now, in this Town of Boston, there are no Persons come under the Denominations but Justices and Constables. As to the Select-Men, to whom the Justices are supposed to refer, they have been declared by themselves, by the Council, and by the Governor, to be neither Magistrates, nor Civil Officers; and they certainly are not, for they can neither grant nor execute a Warrant. This I explained fully to the Justices, before they gave their final Answer; but to no Purpose, they being determined to refuse at all Events. Thus we have an Act of Parliament which is become a great Favourite; for with the Comments it has received here, it is become in Fact an Act to prevent his Majesty's Troops being quartered in the Town of Boston.

Immediately after I held a Council, and informed the Board of the Refusal of the Justices to billet the Soldiers. I said that I was now at the End of my Tether; for as they had declared before, that they would adhere to the Act of Parliament, and had refused to act in that liberal Way which I thought was their Duty, when the King's necessary Service was obstructed, I could propose nothing further to them. For I foresaw that if I proposed to hire and fit up Houses, &c. for the Troops, they would answer that it did not become their Business till the Public Houses were full. But if any Gentleman thought it was to any Purpose to put such a Question, I was ready to do it: This was declined by Silence. I then informed them, that by Reason of this general Refusal of Quarters, the General found himself obliged to hire and fit up Houses at the Expence of the Crown for the Reception of the Troops, who now (Oct. 26) especially they who were encamped, began to feel the Want of warm Quarters, and as he thought the Expence would ultimately fall upon the Province, he desired that I would appoint a Commissary to join with and assist his Officers in providing such Houses, especially with Regard to the Oeconomy of the Expence. I therefore desired their Advice and Assistance in making such Appointment. This, after a long Debate, was refused, they saying, that if they should join in such Appointment, it would be admitting that the Province ought to be charged with the Expence; and I could appoint Auditors to examine the Accounts without them. I thereupon put an End to this Business, having been employed in it from Sept. 19th to Oct. 26th, in all 38 Days, without any Prospect of doing any Thing to purpose, but under an Obligation of trying every Effort, before I gave it up.

During this Time the General, who foresaw how this Negociation would end, had employed his Officers to hire and fit up Houses for the Troops; so that by the Time I had received the definitive Refusal, compleat Quarters were provided for all the Troops. But now another Difficulty arose; if the Soldiers should be put into Barracks, though provided by the Crown, without the Intervention of a Magistrate, the Military Officers who placed them there, would be chargeable with taking upon them to quarter Soldiers otherwise than by this Act, and being convicted of it by two Justices of Peace, would be cashiered ipso facto. This Clause was depended upon to oblige the Soldiers to quit the Town, after they had found it impracticable to get Quarters according to the Act of Parliament, and was Part of the original Plan which I mentioned to your Lordship very early. And it could not be expected that the Justices, who had refused to billet the Soldiers, would place them in other Quarters, for that would be to contradict themselves. I therefore took upon myself to remove that Difficulty, and by a Commission, wherein I recited his Majesty's Command to me to take every necessary Step for the Accommodation of the said Troops, and the several Means by which the Execution of the Act for providing Quarters for the Troops was defeated, and the Obligation I was thereby put under to provide Quarters for the Troops in the best Manner I could, I authorized a Person therein named, to place the said two Regiments in such Buildings and Houses as could be procured, at the Expence of the Crown, with the Consent of the Owners. Thus has ended the Business of quartering the two Regiments.---As for Provisions for them at Boston, according to the Act of Parliament, I have already shewn how the Order of Council for that Purpose was annulled and avoided in the Origination of it. Provision has been made at Castle William, by an Order of Council being made that the Provincial Commissary should take Care of it. But they have refused to make such an Order for the Troops at Boston; and therefore it is not done, nor like to be done.

I am, with great Respect, my Lord, Your Lordship's most obedient, and most humble Servant,

The Right Honourable FRA. BERNARD.
The Earl of Hillsborough.

January 27, 1769. *A true Copy,* GEO. WHITE,
Clerk of the Papers to the House of Commons.

Copy of a Letter from Governor BERNARD *to the Earl of* HILLSBOROUGH, *dated Boston, November* 5, 1768. *(Copy)*

MY LORD,

WHEN I received your Lordship's Letter No. 16. I immediately communicated it to the Lieutenant Governor; and we both agreed in Opinion, that it could not be adviseable to lay before the Council any Part of it, except what related to the providing for the Troops, until the Troops were got into Quarters: As we foresaw that the Business of quartering the Troops would occasion a good deal of Trouble, and possibly some Commotion, and it would not be adviseable to bring on too much Business at once; at least until the Town was a little settled. This Business of Quartering, your Lordship will observe, kept me employed till October 26th, on which Day I had summoned a General Council. On this Day I had 19 Counsellors, that is all but 3: I therefore chose this Time to communicate the other Parts of your Lordship's Letter, except what relates to the calling the Assembly, which I had reserved until I had received further Orders about it. I made this Communication by an Extract, which after it was read I left in the Secretary's Hands, that the Gentlemen might peruse it at their Leisure: I cautioned the Secretary against suffering a Copy to be taken, but did not restrain him from permitting it being read. I also gave another Copy of the same Extract to the first Commissioner of the Customs, engaging him to keep it in his own Hands, and not let a Copy be taken.

Immediately after I had an Occasion to move a Matter that would shew their Disposition to pay a proper Regard to his Majesty's Commands. The Commissioners had wrote to me, desiring that I would take the Advice of Council whether they might return to Town, and reassume their Functions, with Safety to themselves and Officers. I communicated this Letter to the Council, and put the Question to them. This was very embarrassing: If they answered Yea, they would be chargeable with advising the Return of the Commissioners: If they said No, they would contradict all their Assertions, that there was no Occasion for Troops to support the Civil Power. They therefore, for above two Hours together, used all kind of Evasions to avoid giving an Answer. I was told, that they were not obliged to give Opinions: I answered, that they were obliged to give Advice; and the Question was put, whether they would advise me to assure the Commissioners that they might return with Safety. At last I was obliged to tell them, that if they would not give me an Answer, I would take their Refusal for an Answer in the Negative: For if they could answer in the Affirmative, no Reason could be supposed why they should not give an Answer; and if they could not answer in the Affirmative, they must reconcile it with their public Declarations of the Loyalty and Peaceableness of the Town as well as they could. At length I got an Answer, 12 answering in the Affirmative, 5 declining answering, because they lived out of Town, and 2 giving written Answers, condemning the Commissioners for going out of the Town, and therefore refusing Advice about their Return, but concluding that all Persons would be safe. In this Council I sat from 11 to 9, two intermediate Hours excepted; and all the Business might have been very well done in an Hour or two by practicable Men.

Before this Council met, I had been informed that some of the Board had been preparing an Address to the General, to remove the Troops from hence, that at this Meeting they might get a great Number of Hands to it. When the Council broke up, I heard some of them making an Appointment to meet there the next Morning. I told them that I understood that they were going on with Business as a Council separately from me; but I cautioned them against proceeding. It was answered, that they should not act as a Council, but as private Gentlemen. I then desired that they would not give their Meetings the Appearance of a Council, by holding them in the Council Chamber. They met the next Day, and settled the Address, which was very much softened from the first Draught, which I am told was much more virulent against the Commissioners. It was signed by 15 of the Council, among whom were the 5 who knew not enough of the Town to vote for the Safety of the Commissioners returning, but knew enough to join in an Invective against them; 4 refused to sign. It was then presented to the General, who observed to them, that the Resolves of the Town-Meeting were a sufficient Cause for sending Troops here, though there had been no Riots: It was answered, that they were the Productions of a few imprudent wrong-headed Men. The General replied, that they were said to be *unanimously* resolved in a *full* Town-Meeting. The next Monday it appeared in all the public Papers, from whence I send your Lordship the inclosed Copy.

I shall make but few Observations on the Writing, the Intent of it being plain enough.---- 1. It is well known to your Lordship, that this kind of Writing is designed for the People, and not for the Persons to whom they are addressed. This is notorious in the present Case: The Gentlemen who moved this Business, knew very well that the General could not move the Troops from this Town, if he could have been disposed to do it; because they were sent hither by Order of his Majesty, and not placed here by the Discretion of the General. The General himself had told them so, and I had repeated it to them again and again, to induce them to assist the Quartering. As therefore they could not expect the Troops would be withdrawn, we must look for another Purpose of this Address; and it appears to be, as indeed it is the principal Subject of it, the Abuse of the Commissioners.---- 2. This was surely very ill timed: The very Day after they had been made acquainted with his Majesty's Command and Expectation, that the Commissioners should return to Boston, and resume their Function, and would return without Resistance, and with Safety, to publish a Manifesto against them, which, as it had nothing new in it, could only serve to revive the popular Prejudices against them, and thereby encourage Resistance, and make their Safety precarious, is unaccountable in Men of this Rank, and inconsistent with their public Professions of their Regard for the King's Service.------ 3. This is also very unreasonable, it being the Day after the Commissioners had signified their Apprehensions of Danger in returning to Boston, and desired the Advice of the Council concerning it, and the Council had given their Opinion, that they might return with Safety. For these Counsellors who had one Day encouraged their coming to Town, the very next Day to issue a Writing under their Hands, holding them forth to the People, " as Men whose Avarice having smothered in their Breasts every Sentiment of Humanity towards this Province, has impelled them to oppress it to the utmost of their Power," is utterly irreconcilable with my Ideas of Truth, Justice and Humanity, and shocks me the more, as I know that the Wives of two of the Commissioners, who have young Children, did not want to have their Fears increased by this Publication.

It would have been unaccountable how so many Persons of so respectable a Station, and many of them of a respectable Character, could join in signing such a Paper, if we did not consider, that in public and popular Proceedings the Leaders are few, and the Followers many; and that People called upon to sign Papers frequently act without Consideration, and sometimes against their Judgment. And the Virulence with which the Commissioners have been treated, seems to be too violent to be the Effect of public Zeal only, without the Interference of private Animosity, which at present I cannot take upon me to account for, I can only condemn and lament such Proceedings in a Body for which I have always had, and still retain, a great Regard.

I am, with great Respect, my Lord, your Lordship's most obedient, and most humble Servant,

The Right Honourable FRA. BERNARD.
the Earl of Hillsborough.

January 27, 1769. *A true Copy,* GEO. WHITE,
Clerk of the Papers to the HOUSE of COMMONS.

Copy of a Letter from Governor BERNARD to the Earl of HILLSBOROUGH, dated Boston, November 12, 1768. No 9.

MY LORD,

AFTER I had communicated your Lordship's Letter to the Council, I considered that some farther Notification of it would be necessary, in Regard to what related to the Preservation of the Peace, and the Protection of the Officers of the Revenue, especially as the Commissioners had fixed upon this Week for their Return to Boston. A Proclamation was not thought proper, as the Business was in a Manner confined to the Town of Boston. I therefore thought of a Letter from myself to the Justices of Boston, and accordingly drew one up, wherein I recited such Part of your Lordship's Letter as related to them, and their Business, and thereto added Injunctions and Admonitions of my own. I communicated this to the Council last Wednesday, proposing, if it had their Approbation, to call the Justices together, and deliver it to them by Word of Mouth, and then gave them Copies of it. But tho' no Exceptions were taken to Particulars, the Whole was objected to strongly for this Reason; that if they were to consent to this Letter, they should appear to approve of the Censures your Lordship has passed upon the Town, which they would not admit it had deserved. I told them that I would not enter into an Argument, which might tend to impeach the Truth or Justice of your Lordship's Letter, but I observed that both of them were very defensible, being founded upon notorious Facts, which could not be denied or doubted.

I then proposed another Method of informing the Justices; which was to call the Justices together, and after reading such Part of your Lordship's Letter, as related to their Business, to give them a general Admonition concerning their future Conduct. This was objected to, for that an Admonition implied a Censure. This I answered by shewing, that they did really deserve Censure, and by declaring that I would use them tenderly in that Respect. But I found that I should never prevail with the Council to act in this Business; that they would not advise to any Method of notifying, enjoining or enforcing the Orders contained in your Lordship's Letter; and that I could make nothing of them but passive Associates. I proposed therefore that they should meet in the Council the next Morning, and I would of my own Accord, and without their Advice, order the Justices to attend, and would admonish them as I had before proposed. This was at length assented to, tho' not without one Gentleman's protesting against it. I accordingly the next Day assembled the Justices, and, in the Presence of the Council, having caused an Extract of your Lordship's Letter to be read, I entered into a full Explanation of the Nature of their Office and their Duty therein; and avoiding, as much as I could, censuring them for their former Conduct, I shewed what would be expected of them for the future; and I concluded, that if they had a Mind to retrieve the Credit of the Town, it was not to be done by denying what was past, but by regulating what was to come: As soon as I had done, a Gentleman of the Council said aloud, he liked this very well; and the Justices seemed satisfied with this Proceeding; and several of them gave Assurances that they would do the best to preserve the good Order of the Town.

These two Conferences with the Council passed with good Humour, and in the Course of them, I had an Opportunity to observe upon and lament the Servility, in Regard to the People, with which the Business of Council was now done, in Comparison to what used to be. This was not denied; and one Gentleman said, that he did not now enter the Council-chamber with that free Mind he used to have: But he liked to be concerned in public Business, and did not chuse to quit his Place in the Council, and therefore must be content to hold it upon such Terms as he could. So fair a Confession deserves not to be passed unnoticed. But I should not trouble your Lordship with such trifling Anecdotes, if they did not seem to me to be the best Method to convey a true Idea of the present State of this Government, and to point out the chief Causes of its Decease, and I must myself resort to the Cause I am now treating of, to shew why I have not executed the King's Commands in as full a Manner as may be expected from me. But my Lord, the Council themselves have, for above four Months past, taken great Pains to shew from whence the Imbecility of this Government arises; and have brought more forcible Arguments, than any one else could have urged, to shew how necessary it is become that the King should have the Council-Chamber in his own Hands. How this can be done may be a Question, the Exigency of it is none. I am, with great Respect, my Lord, Your Lordship's most obedient, and most humble Servant,

The Right Honourable FRA. BERNARD.
the Earl of Hillsborough.

January 27, 1769. A true Copy, GEO. WHITE,
Clerk of the Papers to the HOUSE of COMMONS.

SIX DOLLARS Reward.

RUN away, about the 16th of November last, a servant man, named JAMES DAVENPORT, about 30 years of Age, 5 feet 8 or 9 inches high, a dark complexion, hollow eyes, long black hair, tied behind; had on, when he went away, a good castor hat, a grey lappelled coat, a blue waistcoat, buckskin breeches, old shoes, and pinchbeck buckles; also took with him, a claret coloured coat and waistcoat, and a red silk waistcoat; he says, he was born in London, and has been 11 years in the service, and got his discharge in Cork, in Ireland; he is a very good scholar, and has taught school two years and a half in Sadsbury township, Chester county, and took with him a certificate, signed by several of his employers. Whoever takes up and secures said servant, in any goal, or brings him to the subscriber, living in the township aforesaid, shall have the above reward, and reasonable charges, paid by me

¶ 6 W. JAMES BOYD.

MADE and sold by the SUBSCRIBER, in Darby, six miles from Philadelphia, wire work of all sorts, particularly for flaxseed and wheat. And as he is the original inventor and institutor of that branch of business in America (and has not instructed any other person in the mystery thereof) apprehends himself best entitled to the benefits of the same, and in all probability is the best master of the work, having made all the wire boults used in the cities of Philadelphia and New-York, and likewise a considerable number of rolling screens for cleansing wheat, and has had long experience in the use of them; therefore any person applying by letter or otherwise, may be speedily supplied with wire work of any kind, which he will warrant; and by enquiring of Hugh M'Cullough, John Hall, M'Neal and Tolbert, Wills and Jackson, William and Andrew Caldwell, Conyngham and Nesbitt, Samuel Carson, and John Brown, of the city of Philadelphia; Peter Cloper, Thompson and Alexander, of New-York, all in the flaxseed way; and of Robert Lewis, Samuel Shaw, William Clark, Samuel Morton, Adam Hoops, and John Brown, all in the wheat way, may be informed of his abilities, and success therein.

JOHN SELLERS.

RUN away from his bail, in Uwchland township, Chester county, on the 7th of this inst. March, one John Benson, this country born, a blacksmith by trade, with short black hair, about 5 feet 8 or 9 inches high, 24 years of age, has a scar above his right eye; had on, when he went away, a blanket coat, old felt hat, new buckskin breeches, new leather apron, much given to drink; it is likely he may change his clothes for money. Whoever takes up and secures the said John Benson, in any of his Majesty's goals, shall have Forty Shillings reward, if taken within this province; and if taken out of the province, FIVE POUNDS, with reasonable charges, paid by

¶ WILLIAM MELCHIOR.

RUN away, the 13th of this inst. March, from the subscriber, in Tredyffrin, Chester county, a servant man, named PEARCE CHESSEY, about 35 years old, or more; he is a very lusty healthy man, stoops much, is a weaver by trade, and very handy at the carpenter's trade, as he says; has a down look, and black complexion. He took with him one handkerchief, with diamond squares on one side, and blue and white on the other, and two pitching axes; also another handkerchief, with diamonds on both sides; one walnut coloured stocking, and one pale blue ditto, footed; a short blue mended coat, a jacket made of a blanket, and faced with linsey, leather breeches, and shoes, with thongs in them. He was bought out of Chester goal, where he was confined for stealing a watch; and some time ago, he took away two pair of silver buckles, one pair 30 penny weight, the other 26. Whoever takes up and secures said servant, if in the province, shall have Forty Shillings; and if out of the province, Three Pounds reward, and reasonable charges, from DAVID EVANS. ¶

TEN POUNDS Reward.

RUN away, the 12th of this inst. March, from the Subscriber, living in Providence township, Philadelphia county, an Irish servant man, named Thomas O'Shochany, alias Bryan, upwards of 30 years of age, 5 feet 6 or 7 inches high, slender built, thin faced, a little pock-marked, black curled hair, cut short on the crown, has much of the brogue on his tongue, loves strong liquor, given to lying, and snuffing; had on, and took with him, 2 check shirts, one new, the other patched with new check, a blanket coat, yellowish camblet jacket, and one other without sleeves, a felt hat, with deep crown, and narrow brim, old leather breeches, new washed, grey milled stockings, 2 pair of old shoes, one made for strings, the other buckles; also a few shoemaker's tools, which he uses in the cobbling way; he has been several years in the country, and lately at York and Albany, also at Elk forge, in Cæcil county, Maryland, and it is probable will make towards some of the above places.

Also run away from the Subscriber, on the 25th of September last, another indented servant, named John Johnston, about 30 years of age, 5 feet 7 inches high, slender built, fair complexion, sandy hair, red beard, talks slow, and has a simple look; had on, and took with him, a half-worn claret coloured broadcloth coat, old green jacket, and check shirts; it is likely he has made towards the Jerseys, as his father John Johnston, and Benjamin Johnston, are living in Salem county.

Whoever takes up and secures the said servants, so that their master may have them again, shall receive the above reward, or Five Pounds for each, and if brought home reasonable charges, paid by me JOSEPH RICHARDSON. ¶

RUN away from the Subscriber, living in West Marlborough township, Chester county, the 9th of this instant March, an apprentice man, named John Daniel, about 27 years of age, about 5 feet 6 inches high, thin faced, and has dark coloured hair; had on, when he went away, a homespun shirt, dirty leather breeches, about half worn, black yarn hose, good shoes, with large carved pewter buckles in them, a blue twilled cloth coat, about half worn, a green jacket, ragged on the left side, old felt hat, with white loops, and a black silk handkerchief; says he is a Scotchman, and served his time with John Lewis, in Uwchland township, Chester county, and may perhaps have his old indentures with him; he also says he has been several trips out a privateering, under Captain M'Pherson. All masters of vessels are forbid taking him off at their peril. Whoever takes up and secures said apprentice, so that his master may have him again, shall have Thirty Shillings reward, and reasonable charges, paid by FRANCIS FISHER. ¶

To be SOLD, RENTED, or LETT on SHARES,

ALL the lands and mills belonging to the subscriber, living in Uchland township, Chester county, viz. the plantation he now lives on, of about 250 acres of land, 80 acres of meadow, and as much more may be made; one other adjoining the above of 200 acres, with about 10 acres of meadow; two good merchant mills on Brandywine, with two pair of stones in each; one other in Ridley township, and one on Crumb Creek, within two miles of Chester, with a landing, about half a mile from the mill. Any of the above premises may be entered on immediately. JOSEPH PHIPPS. ¶

Just imported in the last vessels from England, and to be sold remarkably cheap, for cash only, by

ALEXANDER BARTRAM,

Next door to the sign of the Indian King, in Market-street,

A LARGE and neat Assortment of DRY GOODS, suitable to the season. Likewise a large assortment of CHINA, amongst which are a compleat table sett, and several tea-table setts, table plates, tea pots, cream pots, sugar dishes, large and small cups and saucers, custard cups, mustard pots, bowls, from a gallon down to a half pint, and sauce boats; also a variety of plain and enamelled tortoiseshell, pine-apple, black and cream-coloured stone ware, and several sorts of glass ware, by the crate, or smaller quantity. Likewise a large quantity of chimney tiles.

To be SOLD, by the Subscribers,

TWO pieces of land, viz. sixty acres, lying in Mount-Holly; on which there is a good brick dwelling-house, a good frame kitchen, good orchard, stables and out-houses. And twenty acres of meadow ground, lying some distance from the other. The terms of sale may be known, by applying to JOHN HATKINSON, in Mount-Holly, or JOHN CRIPPS, living near Salem. ‖

To be SOLD, or LETT for a term of years,

A CERTAIN piece or parcel of land, situate in the township of Lower Chichester, and not above one mile from Marcus-Hook, lying on a very public road, containing 18 acres, with a good sawed log-house and shop thereon, as likewise a good frame smith's shop, and sett of tools, may be had therewith; there is a good orchard on it, and a very good well at the door; it is suitable for any trade or public business, but might suit a blacksmith very well, as the subscriber follows the wheelwright's trade near it, and uses a quantity of iron-work yearly, to the amount of 50 or 60 pounds. Any one inclining to purchase, paying one half of the money down, may have any reasonable time for the other, from

¶ ZACHARIAH DERRICK.

TO BE SOLD,

TWENTY-SIX ACRES of good LAND, pleasantly situated, in Passyunk township, within 3 miles of the city of Philadelphia, about one half is woodland, part of the estate of Charles Brogden, Esq; Enquire of RICHARD WALN, who has to lett, an elegant well-finished dwelling-house, in Fourth-street, near Market-street, now in the tenure of Sarah Orme, and may be entered upon the 6th day of May next. ¶

To be SOLD or LETT, by the Subscriber,

A LOT and HOUSE, situate in Germantown, fronting the Street, near the Market-House, where Moses Hall formerly kept Tavern and Store; the House is 3 Stories high, and very suitable for any public Business, there being Stables and Out-houses sufficient. For further Information and Terms, enquire of John Jones, in Germantown, or the Subscriber, at Whitemarsh. ABRAHAM GRIFFITH.

Alloway's Creek Township, Salem County, March 3, 1769.

LEFT in the custody of the Subscriber, some time in June last, a dark brown HORSE, about 12 or 13 hands high, 5 or 6 years old, without brand or ear-mark, with a star in his forehead, paces, trots and gallops, short bob tail, most of his mane hangs to the off side; the person that brought him calls himself Thomas Powell, and says he got him of a young man, an acquaintance of his, a ship carpenter, at a place called The Trap, in New-Castle county, and that he, Powell, was to leave the said horse at the young man's father's, in some part of the Jerseys; but since said Powell has absconded, and being apprehensive that the said horse might have been stolen, this is to inform the owner, if any, to come and prove his property, and take him away, otherwise he will be sold in six weeks from this date, to pay charges, by me LEWIS OWEN.

N. B. Said Powell brought, with said horse, a good saddle and bridle. *

Just opened, and to be sold on the lowest terms, for CASH or short credit, by

RANDLE MITCHELL,

At his STORE in Water-street, near Walnut-street,

A GENERAL assortment of 3-qrs, 7-8ths, and yard wide Irish linens, Wilton cloths, saggathies, hardwares, checks, striped cottons, crapes, dorsettees, calimancoes, and yard wide stuffs. A parcel of the best German scythes and cutting knives, with an assortment of other GOODS.

Will COVER this SEASON, The

BELLSIZE ARABIAN.

HE is a genuine Arab, of superior form, full size, great strength, and admirable beauty. This very elegant horse has already been largely described in the News-Papers, since which his stock has shewn, that all that has been said is unequal to his natural powers. He is a horse of great vigour, and the certainty of his being a sure foal-getter cannot be better proved than by the breeding state of the mares he has covered.---There are now in and about this city such large, boney and beautiful colts got by him as the continent cannot equal, which shews that he is fitted for mixing his blood with our country mares, to breed for the saddle or carriage, or with high blooded mares for the turf. As he was originally sent over to improve the breed, to keep close to this intention, so that the public may receive the advantage, he will now cover under the care of John Perkins, at the stables in Fifth-street, at Thirty Shillings a leap, or Three Pounds the season, and in either case Five Shillings to the groom.

The said PERKINS has procured good and secure pastures for mares, at a moderate price per week.

TO BE SOLD,

THAT well accustomed tavern, called the King of Prussia, situate on the main street, in the middle of Germantown, together with two or three acres of land, or more, as it may best suit the purchaser, having also a barn, and good stabling, and all other necessary conveniences. The terms of payment shall be made easy to the purchaser. Further information is to be had on the premises, of the owner,

JACOB COLEMAN.

N. B. Said Jacob Coleman keeps also a Hemp mill, where all persons can get their Hemp dressed in the best manner, at reasonable rates. ¶

New-castle, March 27, 1769.

NOTICE is hereby given, to the owners of the cripple, and low ground, situate on Morris's Branch, in Appoquiminy hundred, and county of New-Castle, that they attend the honorable house of Assembly, at New-Castle, on the second day of June next, to make their objections (if any they have) to the prayer of sundry of the owners of part of said cripple and low ground, to the said house of Assembly, in October last, for an act of Assembly, for keeping in repair the bank already made, and Sluices, for the benefit of said owners, &c.

¶ By order.

To be LETT for a Term of Years,

A SMALL tenement, situate in East Whiteland township, Chester county, joining on the great road leading from Lancaster to Philadelphia; the house has two rooms on a floor, two fire places, cellar and shop, a large kitchen garden, and fire wood convenient, and other privileges, if required. It has for many years past been in the tenor of a weaver, shoemaker, sadler, and store-keeper. It is well situated for such like business. For terms, enquire of the owner, living adjacent,

¶ RICHARD RICHISON.

Just imported in the Pennsylvania Paket, Captain Falconer, from London, and to be sold, on the cheapest terms, by

DANIEL and JOHN BENEZET,
And THOMAS BARTOW,

At their store, the corner of Arch and Second streets,

A COMPLEAT and large Assortment of Spring and Summer GOODS; among which are the following articles, viz.

A great choice of calicoes and chintzes, India and ell wide persians, China taffeties, lutestrings, paduasoys, damasks, changeable and plain mantuas, sattins, pelongs, English persians and sarsnets, hair grazets, silk, sectersoy, cotton and lungee romals, bordered and spotted bandannoes, silk mitts, plain, figured, and striped ribbons, long, pistol and Swiss lawns, rattinets, cotton and wool cards, nankeens, humhums, cambricks and lawns; with a very great variety of other articles.

Williamstown, Chester county, April 6, 1769.

THREE POUNDS Reward.

RUN away, from the Subscriber, on the 5th of this instant, at night, an Irish servant man, named Edmund Denney, by trade a weaver, a well set fellow, about 20 years of age, 5 feet 5 inches high, of a pale complexion, a large bushy head of hair, and had a bruise on his left cheek: Had on, when he went away, a new cloth jacket, of a lightish colour, with metal buttons, a check shirt, carved shag plush breeches, a pair of grey yarn stockings, half worn, old shoes, tied with leather strings, a beaver hat, half worn, and a silk handkerchief. Whoever takes up the said servant, and secures him in any goal, so that his master may have him again, shall have the above reward, and reasonable charges, paid by

§ GEORGE SMEDLEY.

WHEREAS I have been informed, that a certain CROMWELL M'WHITEY, lives somewhere about Brandywine, who is a Brother of Edward M'Whitey, deceased; therefore I, who was the Widow of the said Edward M'Whitey, am very desirous of seeing the said Cromwell, if I knew where to find him; or if he chuses to enquire for me, living at East-town, I may there be found by the Name of my second Husband Conrad Rowan. ELIZABETH ROWAN. ‡

RUN away from Berkshire Furnace, in Berks county, on the 27th of March last, a Negroe man, named Dublin, 26 years of age, 5 feet 6 inches high, is a remarkable strong chunky fellow, speaks but indifferent English; had on, and took with him, a leather cap, felt hat, ozenbrigs and check shirts, spotted under jacket, a blue coarse ditto, blanket coat, two pair of Germantown made stockings, and old shoes. Whoever takes up said Negroe, and brings him to the works aforesaid, shall have FORTY SHILLINGS reward, and reasonable expences, or if secured in any goal, so that he may be had again, shall have THIRTY SHILLINGS, paid by

JOHN PATTON.

N. B. All masters of vessels, and others, are forbid to carry him off, or harbour him. Tbctf.

To be SOLD, or LETT, for a Term of Years,

A HOUSE and plantation, containing 40 acres of land, situate in Warwick township, Bucks county, 20 miles from Philadelphia, bounded on the Old-York road, and the Bristol road; the house is suitable for a tavern or store-keeping, there being a store kept there at this time; there is on the premises a good stone house and kitchen, store-house, a large shed, and other conveniences for carrying on the said business; a good garden and orchard, and about 7 acres of meadow. Any person inclining to purchase or rent the said premises, may know the terms, by applying to the subscriber, living in Abington township, Philadelphia county,

THOMAS COOPER, Tavern-keeper.

N. B. Any person purchasing or renting the above premises, may have possession the first day of may next. †

To the PUBLIC.

WHEREAS AARON OAKFORD, living in Darby, 7 miles from Philadelphia, has erected a complete FULLING MILL, with two stocks, &c. and has all the works in good order for carrying on the fulling and blue dying business, in their various branches, in an extensive manner.----All those that please to favour him with their custom, may depend on being served with care and dispatch, and on the lowest terms.

N. B. Cloths, stuffs, &c. are received by John West, at the Old Ferry-house, by Aaron Musgrove, and James M'Laughlin, merchants, near the Drawbridge; at which places attendance will be given once a week. § 3 M.

TO BE SOLD,

A VERY valuable plantation and tract of land, in Cumberland county, in the province of Pennsylvania, situate, lying and being on the north side of Canidogwainet-creek, in said county, about 6 miles from Harris's ferry, near the great road leading to Carlisle, containing 448 acres, and the usual allowance for roads; it is as good land as any in the province, about 60 acres thereof is clear, the rest abounds with locust, poplar, walnut, hickory and oak timber; a large quantity of meadow may easily be made; it is in a very thick settled neighbourhood, and very convenient to meeting-houses and mills.

Also one other tract of very good land in the said county, situate, lying, and being in Peter's township, containing 700 acres, more or less, adjoining to Fort Loudoun, being on both sides of the road leading to Fort Pitt, and was late the property of Thomas Fleming, 150 acres of very good meadow may easily be made, part of the land is already cleared, and has tolerable good improvements. The terms of sale will be made easy. Any person inclining to purchase either, or both the tracts, are requested to apply to the Subscribers, who are impowered to dispose of the same. MATTHIAS SLOUGH,

Lancaster, February 6, 1769. ROBERT MAGAW.

IRON CASTINGS,

OF all dimensions and sizes, such as kettles or boilers for pot-ash works, soap boilers pans, pots, from a barrel to 300 gallons, ship cabooses, kachels and sugar-house stoves, with cast funnels of any height for refining sugars, weights of all sizes, grate-bars, and other castings for sugar-works in the West-Indies, &c. are all carefully done by HENRY WILLIAM STIEGEL, iron-master, at Elizabeth Furnace, in Lancaster county, on the most reasonable terms. Orders and applications made to MICHAEL HILLEGAS, in Second-street, Philadelphia, will be carefully forwarded.---Many of the public being already well acquainted with the excellency of the iron of Elizabeth Furnace for such purposes, renders it needless here to say any thing in its commendation. The said Stiegel begs leave further to inform the public, that his Glass Manufactory, in Manheim town, in the county aforesaid, is again at work, where are made all sorts of bottles, window glass, and sheet glass; also retorts and other glasses for doctors and chymists. Orders, with proper directions, made to the said Michael Hillegas, will likewise be forwarded by him to the said Manufactory with dispatch.

WE, the Subscribers, Auditors appointed by the Court of Common Pleas, for the County of Chester, to audit, settle, and adjust, the Estate of James M'Can, late of Chester County, Shopkeeper, do hereby give Notice to all the Creditors of the said James M'Can, to attend at the Dwelling-House of John Jarvis, Tavern-keeper, in Newtown, on the 6th Day of May next, and lay their several Demands and Accounts, properly attested, before the said Auditors, that Distribution may be made, according to Law. CHARLES HUMPHREYS, JESSE MARIS, ELISHA JONES. ¶

To be SOLD, by the SUBSCRIBER,

THAT high pleasant situated lot of land, on the left hand side going into Germantown from Philadelphia, containing 20 acres, it fronts 40 perches on the main street, whereon is a very good orchard of the best of fruit trees, such as apple, pear, peach, plumb, cherry, &c. and also about 3 acres of the best of watered meadow, that never wants manure, and about 3 acres of wood land, with good quarries of building stone. Also the place the Subscriber lives at, containing about 23 acres, with a good two story stone house and kitchen, and a compleat tan-yard of 28 vats, besides handlers, limes, water-ponds, bates, &c. which are all watered by a stream running through the tan-yard, with all necessary buildings, as currying shop, cellars, mill-house, and beam-house; and also a distil-house, that is supplied with water by a fountain that keeps constantly playing into the cooling tubs, or any other part; there is also a good barn, and stables, and about 7 acres of very good watered meadow, that never wants manure, and will turn out as much hay, per acre, as any in the neighbourhood; there is also on this lot, the most valuable collection of fruit trees of any in the neighbourhood, which are near all come to bearing, such as apple, pear, plumb, peach, apricot, English walnut, and sundry other sorts; there are so many different sorts, that from the time they first ripen, they may constantly carry to market until winter. Likewise a lot of meadow ground, containing ten acres and one quarter of very good mowable meadow, fronting on a road leading from Frankford to the Falls of Schuylkill. Also a piece of wood land, containing about 13 acres, as well wooded as any in the neighbourhood, adjoining to the aforesaid meadow ground, and about half a mile from the first described lots.

Any person inclining to purchase any of the above lots, may view the premises, and know the terms of sale, by applying to

¶ JACOB NAGLEE, near Germantown.

N. B. Some years time will be given for a great part of the purchase money, giving security, and paying interest.

Imported in the last Vessels from London, Liverpool and Bristol,
A very neat Assortment of MERCHANDIZE,
To be disposed of on reasonable TERMS, by
WALTER and BERTLES SHEE.

DROPT, *some time ago, between Chester and Darby, a pair of* SADDLE-BAGS, *in which were a shirt, stock and buckle, two pair of stockings, one cravat, one pair of pumps, &c. &c. Whoever has found said* BAGS, *and will fetch them to the Death of the Fox, in Chestnut-street, Philadelphia, the Ship in Darby, or to Mrs. Withey's, in Chester, shall have* Ten Shillings *reward.* †

Just imported on board the Pennsylvania Packet, Captain Falconer, and are now opening, by
PHILIP WILSON,
At his STORE *in Front-street, near Chestnut-street corner,*
An Assortment of Linen-drapery, Hosiery and Birmingham and Sheffield Cutlery and Toy-ware, &c.

Said WILSON *also expects on board the next Vessels from London, Liverpool and Dublin, a very general Assortment of* GOODS, *suitable to the Season, all which he will sell on the lowest* TERMS, *for* CASH, *or on a short* CREDIT.

Just imported in the Unity, Captain STORY, from London, and to be sold on reasonable terms, for cash, or short credit, by
STEPHEN COLLINS,
At his store, in Second-street, nearly opposite the English Church,

A NEAT and large assortment of European and East-India Goods, suitable to the season.

STRAYED away from JOHN CORREY, of Philadelphia, 22d of March, a bay MARE, 4 years old, near 15 hands high, a natural trotter, her hind feet white, and a small star in her forehead, shod before, neither brand nor ear-mark that is known. Whoever takes up the said mare, and secures her, so as the owner may have her again, shall have FIFTEEN SHILLINGS, and reasonable charges, paid by the subscriber, § JOHN CORREY.

Just imported in the Buchanan, Captain Cochran, from Glasgow, and the Unity, Captain Story, from London, and to be sold on moderate terms, by
SEMPLE and BUCHANAN,
At their store in Front-street (the store William Semple occupied) opposite Mr. John Reynell's,

An assortment of MERCHANDIZE, chiefly consisting of a variety of silk gauzes, of almost all widths and patterns; ditto of Kenting lawns and handkerchiefs; thread stockings; Scotch threads from No. 5 to No. 60; ozenbrigs, saggathies, durants, shaloons, broadcloths, Russia drabs, Russia sheeting, quadruple silesias, callicoes, cottons, chints, thicksets, checks, &c.

At same store may be had a variety of other GOODS, suitable to this and other seasons; among which are iron weights, rice, Books, &c. &c. &c.

TO BE SOLD,

A LIKELY NEGROE WENCH, about 20 Years of Age, with a Child 17 Months old; she is very handy at and much accustomed to Country Work, and is advertised for Sale for no Fault, but the Want of Employ. For Terms of Sale, enquire of the Printers hereof. Tbc.

THE partnership of JOHN WHARTON and JONATHAN HANSON, Mast makers, having expired the 20th of February last, those that have any accounts against said partnership, are desired to bring them in; and those indebted, to make payment to said Wharton, who is impowered to receive the same.

N. B. JOHN WHARTON carries on the Mast-making business, as usual. ¶ 6W.

To be LETT, for a term of YEARS,

A COMMODIOUS merchant mill, and forge, situate on Chester creek, about 5 miles from navigable water; said mill hath two water wheels, and plenty of water in the driest seasons; said forge hath three fires, and plenty of water; there is also a great quantity of wood ready cut, and a quantity of coals in the coal-house, a good stone dwelling-house, and several houses fit for forgemen, also stables, smith's shop and tools, and other utensils for carrying on the forge business. Likewise to be sold, a valuable plantation, in the township of Fallowfield, Chester county, situate on the great road leading from Lancaster road to Ellis Pusey's mill; said plantation contains about 270 acres, 90 thereof cleared, the rest well timbered, 8 acres of meadow, and 40 more may be made, and well watered; there is also a dwelling-house and orchard on the same. Also to be sold, a commodious brick house, and store-houses, in the borough of Chester. Whoever inclines to deal for any of the above described premises, may be further informed, by applying to the subscriber, living in Middletown, Chester county, ‡ WILLIAM PENNELL.

BOULTING CLOTHS.

A large and general ASSORTMENT of fine, superfine, middling and coarse, to be sold by
ELLIS LEWIS,
At his house in Second-street, near Spruce-street, opposite Archibald M'Call's; where millers may be supplied with the best of cloths, and on the lowest terms.

HE has had great experience in the millering business; therefore will give the necessary directions, in recommending the most suitable cloths to the various parts of the boulting of flour, &c. Tbc.

TO BE SOLD,

A LIKELY NEGROE WENCH, about 16 Years of Age, who has been used to Country Work. Enquire of MARY ASHTON, in Lower Dublin Township, and County of Philadelphia. ¶

TO BE SOLD,

AN English Servant LAD's Time, who has six Years to serve, fit for Town or Country Business. Enquire of BENJAMIN RAWLE, next Door to the Old Ferry House, in Water-street. ¶

BEST Indian river SHINGLES, by the quantity, to be sold by the Subscriber, in Second-street, near Walnut-street; who has to lett, a small place, two miles from the city of Philadelphia, and a three story brick house, in Front-street, near John Hart's vendue store, from which is a pleasant view of the river, and an extensive prospect of the commons. For further particulars, apply to JOHN MIFFLIN.

Philadelphia, March 14, 1769.

WAS left in Martin Cryder's Yard, a black STALLION, about 13 Hands high. Whoever has lost such a one, is desired to come, prove their Property, pay Charges, and take him away, within five Weeks from the Date hereof, or he will be sold for the Cost by the Subscriber, living at the Sign of the Swan, in Philadelphia,

¶ MARTIN CRYDER.

SCHEME, in TWO CLASSES, of a LOTTERY, for raising the Sum of *One Thousand Six Hundred and Eighty-seven Pounds, Ten Shillings*, to be applied to the Payment of the Arrears of Debt due for the erecting and finishing the German Reformed Church, and the German Lutheran Church in York Town; and for the Payment of the Arrears of Debt due for erecting and finishing the German Lutheran Churches at Heidelberg and Lebanon, both of Lancaster County.

CLASS the FIRST.

1	Prize of	£ 200	is	£ 200	
2		100		200	
4		50		200	
8		25		200	
20		10		200	
40		5		200	
1150		2		2300	
1225	Prizes,			£ 3500	
3275	Blanks.	Carried to the Second Class,		1000	
4500	Tickets, at 20 s. each, are			£ 4500	

CLASS the SECOND.

1	Prize of	£ 700	is	£ 700
1		500		500
3		200		600
5		100		500
10		50		500
30		25		750
51		10		510
1230		3		3690
1331	Prizes,			£ 7750
3169	Blanks.			
4500	Tickets, at 30 s. each, are			£ 6750
	Brought from the First Class,			1000
				£ 7750

The Legislature of this Province having favoured the Application for the above Lottery, and passed a Law for the carrying on the same, for the good Purposes thereby intended.---By the same Law appointed Philip Marsteller, Christopher Wegman, John Weiser, Simon Coppenhever, George Swingel, Henry William Stiegel, of Lancaster County, Godfrey Rœhrer, and Christopher Witman, of Berks County, Martin Eichelberger, George Keentz, John Hays, Jacob Dowdel, Joseph Welshantz, John Gukes, and John Schultz, of York County, Managers.----- It is hoped that the Public will, as far as in their Power, kindly encourage and assist in forwarding the same, seeing the Necessity arose from pious and religious Motives, in erecting Houses for public Worship.---And the Adventurers have the utmost Security by Law, for the faithful Discharge of the Trust committed to the Managers, and the Scheme equal, if not superior to any yet published in this Province. The Adventurers in the First Class are to have the particular Privilege to renew their Tickets in the Second Class, within 3 Months after drawing the First; but if they neglect renewing them in Time, the Managers may sell them to any Persons who may apply; and if any Person, drawing a Prize, neglects to apply for the same within 9 Months after the Drawing of each Class, the same will be applied according to Law.----The Prizes will be subject to a Deduction of 15 per Cent.

The Drawing of the First Class will be on the 14th of June next, at the Borough of Lancaster, or sooner, if sooner full; when and where each of the Adventurers that please may attend, and the Prizes will be immediately published in the Pennsylvania Gazette, and Chronicle, and paid by the Manager who signs the Ticket.

Tickets may be had of the several Managers abovementioned; also of Mr. Henry Keppele, junior, Mr. Jacob Barge, Mr. William Goddard, and Messieurs Hall and Sellers, in Philadelphia; of Adam Simon Kuhn, Esq; Matthias Slough, Esq; Mr. William Bousman, and Mr. Christopher Crawford, in Lancaster Borough; of Mrs. Eagy, in Manheim; of Mr. George Fry, in Middletown; of Mr. Frederick Hummel, in Hummel's Town; of Mr. Charles Shade, in Williamsburg; of Mr. Alexander Sheffer, and Mr. Philip Erp, in Heidelberg Town; of Mr. Jacob Seltzer, in Womelieders Town; of Mr. Isaac Myer, Mr. Nicholas Housecker, and Mr. Benjamin Spycker, in Tulpehokin; of Henry Miller, near Ephrata; of Mr. John Schultz, at Conestogoe; of Mr. Daniel Levan, in Maxatawny; of Ludwick Klotz, Esq; and Mr. Benjamin Weiser, in Northampton County; of Mr. John Spitler, and Mr. Renicker, in Macollister's Town; of Mr. Nicholas Biddinger, in Abbot's Town; and of Mr. Philip Fishbourn, in Tawney Town. By Order of the Managers,
HENRY WILLIAM STIEGEL.

TO BE SOLD,

A PLANTATION, situate in Whitpain township, Philadelphia county, bounded on Skippack road, 2 miles above Samuel Morris's mills, and 15 from Philadelphia, containing 200 acres of land, 120 cleared, the rest woodland; the plough land is good for winter or spring grain, some of the ground being fresh, and some well limed, it being but two miles from the kiln, good watered meadow, and more may be watered, with a stream of water running through the place, large enough for a fulling-mill. There are upwards of 200 loads of dung now at the barn, which has been reserved for the meadows; also some rich bottom, that produces a great quantity of grass; there is hay, yearly, to maintain ten cows, and four horses, a good bearing orchard, a large two story stone house, 4 rooms on a floor, and a good cellar, a pump of good water at the door, a large new barn, 57 by 25 feet, one half stone, a good spring, and a new stone house over it, near the door, and fences in good repair; it is a healthy and pleasant situation; the title indisputable, and will be sold on reasonable terms, either together, or 140 acres, with the buidling and meadows, or as would best suit the purchaser. For terms of sale, apply on the premises, to

¶ CALEB BYRNES.

JUNIPER,

IS now in excellent order, and will cover MARES at Jacob Hiltzheimer's, in Seventh-street, near Market-street, at Twelve Dollars a mare the season, or Six Dollars a single leap, and Five Shillings to the groom. He is a fine bay horse, of size, strength and beauty, very healthy, and free from any blemish whatsoever, was got by Babram, son of Lord Godolphin's Arabian, his dam, which won the four years old plate at Burford, from the famous Gustavus, and 7 others, at 4 heats, by Stamford Turk; his grandam by a son of Fox, which was own brother to the famous gelding, called Conqueror; his great grandam by the Flying Childers; his great, great grandam, which was also the dam of the noted horses Old Crab, Black Legs, Snip, &c. by Basto; his great, great, great grandam, which was also the dam of Old Partner, and own sister to Minbury, by the Curwin bay barb; his great, great, great, great grandam, by the Curwin Spot; his great, great, great, great, great grandam, by the white legged Lowther barb; his great, great, great, great, great, great grandam, was the famous Vintner mare. JUNIPER, after winning 15 plates in different parts of England, from the best horses in the kingdom, started for the Jockey Club plate, on the 1st of May, 1760, and won it, beating Mr. Panton's famous horse Feather, and Lord Rockingham's Remus, since came to Virginia to Col. Syme, who sold him for 1000 l. Virginia currency.

Likewise, to cover at the same place, the fine horse, called WHITE NOSE, bred in New-England, at Four Dollars a mare the season, or Two Dollars a single leap, and Two Shillings and Sixpence to the groom; he is a horse of 15 hands high, and upwards, and more likely to get good saddle horses than any other horse in the province. The money, for both horses, to be paid before the mares are taken out of the stable.

N. B. Those mares that did not prove with foal by Juniper, the last season, may have this season for Six Dollars.

Tbc. 4 M. JACOB HILTZHEIMER.

To be SOLD by the Subscriber, living in Bristol Township, Bucks County,

A VALUABLE TRACT of LAND, situate in the said township, within one mile of Bristol wharff, containing 207 acres, 65 of which is cleared, 9 thereof good meadow, and 20 acres more may be made; the upland remarkably good for wheat; the remainder chiefly woodland, with some valuable timber thereon. And if the same should not be sold at private sale before the 30th day of this inst. March, on that day it will be sold by public vendue, at my house in Bristol township aforesaid, adjoining the premises. At the same time will be sold, horses, cows, swine, waggons, carts, plows, harrows, and gears, cases of drawers, and sundry other articles of houshold furniture, too tedious to mention. The terms of the vendue will be made known at the time of sale; before which time, any person may be shewn the premises, by applying to

¶ DANIEL THOMPSON.

To be SOLD,

A Handsome well finished BRICK HOUSE, two stories high, four rooms below stairs, and four chambers, besides garrets; the rooms above and below stairs are genteelly papered; a large dry cellar under the whole house, properly divided; a convenient kitchen adjoining, with chambers above for servants, situate in King-street in Trenton. The lot contains about three quarters of an acre, and extends through to Queen-street, on which are placed the stables. Also several five acre LOTS of meadow, orchard, and pasture lands, each good of their kind, near and convenient to the town. Likewise a good house, and new large framed barn, with 17 acres of excellent land, 8 acres of which is garden, meadow, and an orchard of the best grafted fruit; the remaining 9 acres good wood land, in Trenton also. The situation renders it very convenient for a shop-keeper, tradesman, &c.

To be sold also, that very valuable and pleasantly situated farm and ferry, late Mr. Richard Stevens's Homested Farm, situated in Tenicum township, Bucks county, now in possession of Captain Tinbrooke, containing 416 acres, capable of making two very compleat farms. The purchaser may have any of the above described lands, &c. on very moderate terms, and reasonable credit given.---Good bonds on interest will be taken in payment.

¶ WILLIAM PIDGEON.

TO BE SOLD,

A VERY likely NEGROE WENCH, about 40 years of age (for no fault, only does not chuse to live out of town) she is a good cook, an excellent washer, can iron plain clothes, spin, and understands all sorts of house-work well; she has had the small-pox and measles, and is duty free. For further information, enquire of the printers hereof.

SAMUEL SANSOM, junior,

Has just imported in the ship UNITY, Captain STORY,

A NEAT ASSORTMENT of MERCHANDIZE, which he will sell on reasonable Terms, at his Store in Front-street, three Doors above the City Vendue-House. ¶

GEORGE SCHLOSSER,

In Second-street, between Race and Vine-streets, wants

A LARGE Quantity of Oak Bark; he pays ready Cash and Market Price for it. He has Soal Leather of the best Kind, which he will sell at a reasonable price. §

WANTED to HIRE,

A GOOD COOK, and a Servant Man or Lad, either white or black, who can wait in a Gentleman's Family, and take Care of a Horse. Such Persons, being well recommended, may hear of a Place, by applying to the Printers. §

FIVE POUNDS Reward.

STRAYED or stolen, from Mr. James Shaw's, in Derry township, Lancaster county, in the night of the 10th inst. an iron grey HORSE, 3 years old last fall, is about 14 hands high, has a star in his forehead, his mane pretty long and thin, hangs to the right side, has a short switch tail, and when but a little warm, is used to move it speedily as horses generally do when oppressed, is branded S, on the near shoulder, is round shod, and trots easy. Whoever brings said horse to the Subscriber, in Mountjoy township, county aforesaid, shall have Twenty Shillings reward, and reasonable charges; and for securing the thief, if stolen, so that he may be brought to justice, Four Pounds, paid by JAMES CUNNINGHAM. ¶

ABRAHAM USHER,

Has moved to the store, which Messieurs JOHN and LAMBERT CADWALLADER lately left, in Front-street, the fifth door above Walnut-street, and is now opening,

A NEAT ASSORTMENT of GOODS, suitable to the season, imported per the Captains Story and Falconer, from London, which he will sell on the lowest terms for CASH or short CREDIT.

TO BE SOLD,

A TWO story house, in Chestnut-street, a few doors from the corner of Front-street, formerly a noted beer-house, being 18 feet front, and 20 feet deep, with an excellent vault. Also a two story brick house, situate in Front-street, a few doors from Almond-street, being 18 feet front, and the lot on which it stands, 70 feet deep; both houses are clear of groundrent. The titles indisputable. The purchaser may have credit for part of the purchase money until November next, without interest, giving security. For terms, apply to MARY MURDOCH, or SAMUEL MURDOCH. ‡

BY Virtue of a Writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public Sale, on Monday, the 15th of May, at 2 o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the Houſe of William Dotterer, in Limerick Townſhip, a certain Plantation, or Tract of Land, ſituate in Limerick Townſhip aforeſaid, containing about 161 Acres; bounded by Land of the London Company, John Kendall, Nicholas Pannebecker, and others; with all the Buildings and Improvements thereon; alſo a certain other Tract of Land, adjoining the aforeſaid Tract, containing 90 Acres, and 100 Perches, chiefly Woodland; bounded by Lands of Oliver Pannebecker, Thomas Reeſe, John Bull, and George Good; late the Eſtate of Thomas Evans; ſeized and taken in Execution by JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

BY Virtue of a Writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public Sale, on Tueſday, the 16th of May, at 2 o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the Houſe of Thomas Dewees, at Pottſgrove, a certain frame Meſſuage, and Lot of Ground, ſituate in the Town commonly called Potts-Town, being a Corner Lot, fronting High-ſtreet and York-ſtreet, containing in Breadth 60 Feet, and in Depth 300 Feet; late the Eſtate of John Hawn; ſeized and taken in Execution by JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

N. B. At the ſame Time will alſo be ſold a Parcel of HOUSHOLD GOODS, &c.

BY Virtue of a Writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public Sale, on Tueſday, the 16th of May, at 2 o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the Houſe of Thomas Dewees, at Pottſgrove, a certain Tract or Parcel of Land, ſituate in Groſs Town, Douglaſs Townſhip, containing about 15 Acres; bounded by Lands of Frederick Wambach, and others, and the Manatawny Road, having a Log Tenement, Barn and Stables, erected thereon; late the Eſtate of Baltus Cleaver; ſeized and taken in Execution by JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

BY Virtue of a Writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public Sale, on Thurſday, the 18th of May, at 2 o'Clock in the Afternoon, on the Premiſes, a certain Meſſuage, and 3 contiguous Tracts of Land, ſituate in the Townſhip of Whitemarſh; one of them containing about 52 Acres, adjoining Lands late of Edward Farmer, and Simons; one other of the ſaid Tracts, containing about 24 Acres and a Half, adjoining Lands of William Barge, and Peter Robeſon; and the other of the ſaid Tracts, containing about 35 Acres, and 70 Perches, adjoining the aforeſaid Tract, and Land of William Dewees, Eſq; and alſo one full equal and undivided Moiety or Half Part of two contiguous Lots of Ground, at a Place called Barren-Hill, in Whitemarſh aforeſaid, containing about 6 Acres, 3 Quarters, and 30 Perches, adjoining Lands of Adam Kellar, and Jacob Coleman; likewiſe ſundry Houſhold Goods, Huſbandry Utenſils, and Stock; late the Eſtate of George Good; ſeized and taken in Execution by JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

BY Virtue of a Writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public Sale, on the 19th of May, at 7 o'Clock in the Evening, at the London Coffee-Houſe, a certain Lot, or Piece of Ground, ſituate on the Weſt Side of Second-ſtreet continued, in the Northern Liberties, containing in Breadth 20 Feet, and in Depth 230 Feet, having a two Story Brick Meſſuage, and Frame Barn, and Stables, erected thereon, bounded Eaſtward by Second-ſtreet aforeſaid, Southward by a Lot of William Coates, Weſtward by a 40 Feet Alley, and Northward by Ground of Bowyer Brooke, ſubject to a Ground-rent of 4l. Pennſylvania Currency per Annum; late the Eſtate of John Jacob; ſeized and taken in Execution by JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

N. B. The Purchaſer may have Credit for 140l. of the Purchaſe Money, giving Security, and paying Intereſt for the ſame.

BY Virtue of a Writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public Sale, on Saturday, the 20th of May, at 7 o'Clock in the Evening, at the London Coffee-Houſe, a certain Lot or Piece of Ground, ſituate on the South Side of Walnut-ſtreet, in the City of Philadelphia, containing in Breadth 24 Feet 6 Inches, or thereabouts, and in Length or Depth 220 Feet, with the Buildings and Appurtenances; bounded Southward by Edward Shippen's Ground, and Weſtward by Ground late of George Bullock deceaſed; late the Eſtate of John Hitchcock and Wife, ſeized and taken in Execution by JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

Cheſter County, April 22, 1769.

BY Vittue of a Writ of Venditioni Exponas, to me directed, on Saturday, the 13th Day of May next, at Two o' Clock, on the Premiſes, will be ſold by Vendue, a certain Meſſuage, or Tenement, known by the Name of the Blue Ball Tavern, a licenced Houſe, upwards of 20 Years paſt, where Thomas Howell, in his Life-time dwelt, with a good Orchard, Barn, and 32 Acres, and 120 Perches of good Land, thereunto belonging; bounded by the King's Road, and another Road leading to Marcus-Hook. Alſo one other Piece of Land, lying near the aforeſaid Land, containing 17 Acres, and 55 ſquare Perches. Likewiſe one other Piece of Land, lying near the aforeſaid Place, containing about 31 Acres, bounded by Lands of Archibald Dick, the King's Road, and other Land of James Stroud; late the Eſtate of James Stroud, deceaſed; ſeized in Execution, and to be ſold by JOHN MORTON, Sheriff.

Cheſter County, April 22, 1769.

BY Virtue of a Writ of Levari Facias, to me directed, on Tueſday, the 16th Day of May next, at 3 o' Clock, on the Premiſes, will be ſold by Vendue, a certain Meſſuage, or Tenement, Plantation and Tract or Parcel of Land, thereunto belonging, ſituate in Eaſt-Town Townſhip, in Cheſter County, containing 190 Acres, more or leſs; bounded by Land, late of Benjamin Ellis, Thomas Henderſon, Thomas Harriſon, Mark Morris, and others; the Land is good, a large Quantity of good Meadow, and is capable of good Improvements; late the Eſtate of Iſaac Minſhall and Wife; ſeized in Execution, and to be ſold by JOHN MORTON, Sheriff.

Cheſter County, April 22, 1769.

BY Virtue of a Writ of Venditioni Exponas, to me directed, on Thurſday, the 18th Day of May next, at 4 o' Clock, on the Premiſes, will be ſold by Vendue, a certain Meſſuage and Plantation, and Tract or Parcel of Land, thereunto belonging, containing 187 Acres, be it more or leſs, ſituate in the Townſhip of New-London, in the County of Cheſter; bounded by Lands of Thomas M'Kean, James Reed, Nicholas Purtle, and the Widow Fury; the Land is good for Wheat; there is a good Brick Houſe, and other Buildings thereon, and orcharding, and ſome Meadow, &c. late the Eſtate of George M'Dowell; ſeized in Execution, and to be ſold by JOHN MORTON, Sheriff.

Cheſter County, April 22, 1769.

BY Virtue of a Writ to me directed, on Thurſday, the 18th Day of May next, at 12 o' Clock, on the Premiſes, will be ſold by Vendue, a certain Meſſuage or Tenement, and Piece or Parcel of Land thereunto belonging, containing 10 Acres, ſituate in the Townſhip of New-London, in the County of Cheſter; bounded by Lands of the Widow Gaddis, James Crawford, and others; late the Eſtate of Francis Forſter; ſeized in Execution, and to be ſold by JOHN MORTON, Sheriff.

Cheſter County, April 22, 1769.

BY Virtue of a Writ to me directed, on Friday, the 19th Day of May next, at 3 o'Clock, on the Premiſes, will be ſold by Vendue, a certain Meſſuage, Plantation and Tract or Parcel of Land thereunto belonging, containing 200 Acres, more or leſs, ſituate in the Townſhip of Oxford, in the County of Cheſter; bounded by Lands of Francis Motheral, Samuel M'Neal, David Fleming, and others. Alſo will be ſold at the ſame Time, Wheat and Rye in the Ground, Horſes, Cows, &c. and ſundry Houſhold Goods; all late the Eſtate and Effects of Stephen Cornelius, ſeized in Execution, and to be ſold by JOHN MORTON, Sheriff.

To be SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE, on the Tenth Day of May next enſuing the Date hereof, by the Subſcribers (Executrix and Executor of the Laſt Will and Teſtament of Joſhua Bond, late of Baltimore County, Maryland, deceaſed, and purſuant thereto) for Caſh, or ſhort Credit, on giving Security, if required,

A GOOD new Merchant and Griſt-Mill, double geered, which are compleatly finiſhed, with two Pair of Stones, two Boulting-Cloths, and hoiſting Geers, all going by Water. A good new framed Saw-Mill, well covered, and running Geers in good Repair. The ſaid Mills are built on an approved good Part of a never-failing Stream of Water, known by the Name of Winter's Run, and they being but about 6 Miles from Buſh River Landing, and 7 Miles from Joppa, in ſaid County, and in a populous Neighbourhood, it renders the Griſt-Mill extraordinary well ſituated for getting Grain, either for Merchant or Country Griſt, and the Saw-Mill to have conſtant Employ, there being always a great Demand for Plank of all Sorts. There is alſo to be ſold, with ſaid Mills, about 30 or 40 Acres of good Land, adjoining thereto, well timbered, and great Part may by little Expence be made good Meadow of.

All Perſons that have any juſt Demands againſt the Eſtate of the aforeſaid Joſhua Bond, are hereby deſired to bring in their Accounts, regularly proved, that they may be adjuſted. And all thoſe that are indebted to the ſaid Eſtate, are hereby requeſted to make immediate Payment, and by ſo doing they will prevent Trouble (that muſt enſue from their Non-payment) to themſelves, as well as to ¶ ANN BOND, Executrix,
April 12, 1769. WILLIAM BOND, Executor.

Philadelphia, April 19, 1769.

JOHN ORD, of this City, Merchant, having aſſigned to us, in Behalf of his Creditors, his Eſtate, both real and perſonal; Notice is hereby given to thoſe indebted to the ſaid Ord, by Bond, Book Account, or otherwiſe, immediately to pay off their reſpective Ballances; and thoſe who have any Demands on the ſaid Ord, are deſired to bring in their Accounts, to be adjuſted.

On Thurſday, the 18th of May next, at the London Coffee-houſe, at Six o'Clock in the Evening, will be ſold at public Sale, the Dwelling-houſe of the ſaid Ord, ſituate in Front-ſtreet, between Market and Cheſtnut-ſtreets. BENJAMIN CHEW,
¶ 8 W. JOHN GIBSON.

THE COUNTRY SEAT late of William Coleman, Eſq; within 4 Miles of the City of Philadelphia, on the Weſt Side of Wiſſahickon Road, will be ſold by public Vendue; it contains about 12 Acres, with a Houſe of 3 Rooms on a Floor, finiſhed in a neat Manner; an Out-houſe ſuitable for a Tenant, built of Stone, with 4 Fire-places, 2 on each Floor, and a Cellar under the whole, a good Stone Chair-houſe and Stable, a handſome Garden, a thriving Orchard of good Apple Trees, and other Fruit, and a Well of excellent Water. The whole Place being under good Poſt and Rail and Palliſadoe Fence. The Sale to be on the Premiſes at 3 o'Clock on Thurſday, the 18th of May inſt. Several Years Credit will be allowed for the whole, if required, on giving ſufficient Security, and paying Intereſt.

To be ſold by public vendue, at the London Coffee-Houſe, on Wedneſday, the 17th Day of May inſt. at 5 o'Clock in the Evening, if not diſpoſed of before by private Sale,

ALL that Bank and Water Lot, ſituate between Walnut-ſtreet and the Dock, in the City of Philadelphia, known by the Name of the Burnt Buildings, containing in Breadth, North and South, 83 Feet and a Half, late the Eſtate of Jonathan Dickenſon, deceaſed. For Particulars, reſpecting the Title and Conditions of Sale, apply to WILLIAM GALE, DANIEL BENEZET, or LEWIS WEISS.

Cheſter, April 20, 1769.

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, on Monday, the 22d day of May next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at William Jones's tavern, in Birmingham townſhip, in the county of Cheſter, will be expoſed to ſale, a certain tract or parcel of valuable woodland, ſituate, lying and being, in Weſt-Town townſhip, in the ſaid county of Cheſter, containing about 405 acres, bounded by the road leading from Goſhen, towards Wilmington, and by lands of William Johnſton, Nathaniel Newlin, Jacob Yearſley, Joſeph Hunt, and James Hewey, formerly the eſtate of Michael Lovell, deceaſed.

JOHN MORTON, Sheriff.

N. B. It is propoſed, for the better conveniency of the neighbours, to divide the ſaid land into 3 diviſions, a plan whereof may be ſeen at Mr. Jones's in Birmingham, or at Mr. Graham's office in Cheſter.

To be ſold by public vendue, at the houſe of William Doyle, in Warwick townſhip, Bucks county, upon the 10th day of May inſt. by Lawrence Growdon, one of the executors of Jeremiah Langhorne, Eſq; deceaſed, and by John Denormandie, Gilbert Hicks, and Thomas Yeardley, Eſquires, executors of Langhorne Biles, Gentleman, deceaſed;

A PLANTATION and TRACT of about 160 acres of LAND, adjoining to James Crawford's land, in the townſhip of Warwick aforeſaid, being the place where Black Joe lately dwelt. The vendue to begin at one of the Clock in the afternoon. The Buyer paying down one third part of the purchaſe money, may, upon good ſecurity, have time for payment of the remainder, upon intereſt. ¶

Drummore Townſhip, Lancaſter County, April 10, 1769.

To be ſold by way of public vendue, at the late dwelling-houſe of John Long, Store-keeper, in Drummore townſhip, Lancaſter county, on Saturday, the 20th day of May next, by 2 o' clock in the afternoon,

A PLANTATION and TRACT of warranted LAND, containing about 226 acres, ſituate in the ſaid townſhip of Drummore, now in the poſſeſſion of John Carſon, and belonging to the ſaid John Long, who has abſented himſelf from thoſe parts, without paying his creditors; which land is ſeized by attachment, and to be ſold by the ſubſcribers, as auditors appointed by the Court of Common Pleas, held for the ſaid county; and attendance will be given for that purpoſe, by us

ISAAC SAUNDERS, GEORGE M'CULLOUGH,
¶ and THOMAS PORTER, Auditors.

To be ſold, by way of public vendue, on the 5th of May inſt. by the ſubſcriber, living on the premiſes, at the Four Lanes End, in Bucks county,

A LOT of ground, containing about 1 acre and three quarters, on which there is a ſtone-houſe, having 3 rooms on a floor, with a pump at the door, a good brick ſmith's-ſhop and coal-houſes, &c. There is a good garden, and a very good bearing orchard, containing upwards of 50 apple trees, chiefly grafted winter fruit, which may be ſold either with the buildings and garden, or ſeparate, as may beſt ſuit the purchaſer. It is pleaſantly ſituated, about 22 miles from Philadelphia, 7 from Briſtol, and about 4 from Newtown; it would ſuit a tradeſman, as it is a very public place. The conditions will be made known at the time of ſale, by RICHARD MITCHELL.

N. B. There will be alſo expoſed to ſale the ſame day and place, ſundry houſhold goods, and ſmith's tools. †

Juſt imported in the laſt Veſſels from London, and in the Sally, Captain Spain, from Liverpool, and to be ſold by
RANDLE MITCHELL,
At his Store in Water-ſtreet, the South Side of Walnut-ſtreet, on the loweſt Terms, for ready Money, or ſhort Credit,

A GENERAL Aſſortment of EUROPEAN and INDIA GOODS, ſuitable for the Seaſon.

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public ſale, on Friday, the 12th of May, at 7 o'clock in the evening, at the houſe of John Barnhill, a certain three ſtory brick houſe, and lot of ground, ſituate on the north-ſide of Elm-ſtreet, between Second and Third-ſtreets, containing in breadth 18 feet 10 inches, and in depth 75 feet; bounded weſtward by ground late of John Pemberton, northward by Iſrael Pemberton's ground, eaſtward by John Marle's ground, and ſouthward by Elm-ſtreet aforeſaid; ſubject to a groundrent of Four Pounds Fourteen Shillings and Six-pence, Pennſylvania currency, per annum; late the eſtate of John Baker; ſeized and taken in execution by JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

IN Purſuance of an Order of the Orphan's Court, for Cheſter County, will be expoſed to Sale, by public Vendue, at Ten o' Clock, on Friday, the 12th Day of May inſt. at the late Dwelling-Houſe of John Gardner, in Weſt-Nantmell Townſhip, in the County aforeſaid, two Meſſuages or Tenements, and two Tracts or Parcels of Land, lying contiguous together, and ſituate in Weſt-Nantmell aforeſaid; one of ſaid Tracts contains 124 Acres, 148 Perches, and Allowance; and the other contains 94 Acres, 80 Perches, and Allowance; late the Eſtate of the ſaid John Gardner, deceaſed. Due Attendance will be given, and the Conditions made known, at the Time of Sale, by JAMES CRAWFORD, REBECCA CRAWFORD, and JAMES HAIR, Adminiſtrat. ¶

WHEREAS I, PETER SHOFE, of Cumberland County, Pennſylvania, gave to ALEXANDER M'NUTT two Bonds; one for Thirty-three Pounds, Six Shillings, and Eight-pence, payable the Eighth of May, 1769; the other alſo for the ſame Sum, payable the Eighth of May, 1770, in Conſideration for a Tract of Land ſold by him to me; but as he hath not fulfilled his Contract, this ſerves to forbid all Perſons from taking Aſſignments of ſaid Bonds, as I will not pay the Money, until he fulfils his Engagement.
¶ PETER SHOFE.

To be SOLD, by public VENDUE,
On the 31ſt day of May inſt.

A VERY valuable tract of LAND, called Dunkeil, lying in Baltimore county, within a few Miles of Baltimore-Town, conſiſting of 599 acres, well ſituated for the navigable rivers of Buſh and Gunpowder; the land is exceeding well timbered, and the ſoil extremely fertile, equal to any in the county; there are ſeveral bottoms, which may be eaſily made into very valuable meadow, and contain ſeveral ſtreams of water; about 250 acres of upland are cleared, quite freſh, and not more than two ſeaſons in cultivation. There are ſeveral improvements, which, with a ſmall expence, may be made very valuable, and no ſituation better adapted for a farm. The title to ſaid land is indiſputable. Six months credit (without intereſt) will be allowed, on giving ſecurity. A general warrantee will be given to the purchaſer at the time of payment. For further particulars, enquire of JOHN PACA, of Baltimore county; WILLIAM PACA, in the city of Annapolis; or WILLIAM TOD, in Philadelphia; of whom they may receive any further information.

To be SOLD by way of public vendue, on Tueſday, the 9th of May inſt.

PART of the eſtate of William Reynolds, deceaſed, in Cumberland county, within half a mile of Shippenſburgh, conſiſting of a compleat merchant mill, with two pair of ſtones, on a never failing ſtream fed by three large ſprings, every thing in good order for carrying on merchant work; 100 acres of land, more or leſs, laid out, and to be ſold with the mill, with a proportion of meadow; both land and meadow extremely good, advantageouſly ſituated, adjoining ſaid mill. Alſo above 300 acres of good wheat land, a large quantity of meadow ground, 20 acres of which is under good new fence, and in good mowable order, may be watered at a very ſmall expence, very rich deep black ſoil, and would be an excellent place for raiſing ſtock. An indiſputable title will be made to the purchaſer or purchaſers of either or both the above places. Likewiſe cows, horſes, waggon, grain in the ground, a quantity of wheat and other grain in the mill, three hogſheads of good rye liquor, and a great variety of other articles, too tedious to mention.

The creditors of the aforeſaid decedent, are requeſted to furniſh the ſubſcribers with the amount of their legal demands, in a regular manner, before the day of ſale, in order to be adjuſted. The vendue to continue from day to day, if neceſſary, till all be ſold. Due attendance, and reaſonable credit, will be given by FRANCIS CAMPBLE, and BENJAMIN BLYTH, Executors. ‡

AS ſundry Gentlemen, in and about Philadelphia, are deſirous of raiſing Colts, out of the celebrated Engliſh hunting Horſe, called FREDERICK, that is kept for covering Mares in Monmouth County, Eaſt-Jerſey, they may have an Opportunity of ſending Mares to him the 15th of May, by applying to ROBERT BAINES, at Mr. RHEA's Stable, in Church-Alley, any Time before the ſaid Date, and no Expence will attend them, but the Ferriage, and eating upon the Road, and the Mares will be returned them again, when done with the Horſe (Accidents excepted.) The Price of covering, for the Seaſon, will be Eight Dollars, and Eighteen-pence per Week Paſturage, for the Mares, to be paid at their Return; or they may have their Mares warranted to be with Foal for Five Pounds, and if they do not prove ſo, the Money will be returned again upon Honour.

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public ſale on Thurſday, the 11th day of May inſt. at 11 o' clock in the forenoon, in the town of Dover, in Kent county, upon Delaware, the following tracts of valuable lands, to wit, all that tract of land, ſituate in Duck-Creek Hundred, in the county aforeſaid, containing 150 acres of land, be the ſame more or leſs, being part of a larger tract of land, formerly belonging to William Harroway, now deceaſed; alſo one other tract of land, ſituate in the Hundred and county aforeſaid, called the Golden Grove, containing 209 acres of land, be the ſame more or leſs; alſo one other tract or parcel of land, ſituate in the Hundred and county aforeſaid, called Newberry, lying on the ſouth ſide of the main branch of Duck-Creek, containing 400 acres of land, be the ſame more or leſs; all which ſaid ſeveral tracts are well timbered, and conveniently ſituated on account of public landings. Alſo one other tract of land, ſituate in the Hundred and county aforeſaid, on the north ſide of a branch, called Pairman's Branch, within half a mile of the Croſs-Roads at Duck-Creek (a place of very conſiderable trade) containing 100 acres of land, be the ſame more or leſs. Which ſaid lands were late the property of Patrick Martin, and Mary his wife, of Kent county, deceaſed; the titles are clear, and indiſputable; ſeized and taken in execution by JAMES WELLS, *Sheriff.* §

THE following Officers, who ſerved in the Pennſylvania Regiment, in the Year 1764, viz. Captains Hunter, Kern, Green, Houſſegger, Lems, Hendricks, Brady, W. Piper and Bucher; Lieutenants Stewart, Wiggens, Hays, Nice, Hunſicker, Aſkey and M'Alliſter; Enſigns W. Piper, M'Meen, Morrow, Stiene and Forſter, are deſired to meet at Mr. John Harris's, in Paxton Townſhip, Lancaſter County, on the 15th Day of May inſt. in order that a Diviſion may be made of the Land granted to them by the Honourable Proprietaries, and are requeſted to be punctual in their Attendance, that the Expences attending the Survey, and other Charges, in proſecuting the Application, may be diſcharged.

TURBUTT FRANCIS, Lieut. Col.
J. P. DE HAAS, Major.
WILLIAM PLUNKETT, } Capts.
JAMES IRVINE, } Capts. } Commiſſioners.
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The PENNSYLVANIA GAZETTE.

Containing the Freſheſt Advices, Foreign and Domeſtic.

By Captain COLEMAN, *arrived at Boſton, in* 30 *Days from London, we have the following Advices, viz.*

LONDON, *March* 23.

YESTERDAY about noon a number of merchants and tradeſmen of this city ſet out from the Royal Exchange, in their carriages, in order to preſent an addreſs to his Majeſty, attended by the city Marſhal, and Conſtables; before they got to Cheapſide, the mob ſhewed them many marks of their reſentment, by hiſſing, groaning, throwing dirt, &c. A Dumb peal was rung as they paſſed by Bow Church: When they arrived in Fleet-ſtreet, the multitude grew quite outrageous, broke the windows of ſeveral carriages, and threw mud and ſtones at the Gentlemen in them. Juſt before the city Marſhal reached Temple-bar, the gates were ſhut by the populace, and ſome drays placed to block up the paſſage. The Marſhal and his attendants, in attempting to open the gates, were very roughly handled; upon which the former quitted his horſe, and retreated into a houſe. Mr. Boehm, and ſeveral other Gentlemen, being covered with dirt, took ſhelter in Nando's Coffee-houſe, and ſome in private houſes. Several of the Gentlemen ordered their coaches to be driven up Fetter-Lane, in turning into which, brick bats were thrown at them; others were driven through Shoe-Lane into Holbourn, where they were again oppoſed by the mob. Many of the Merchants, finding it dangerous to proceed, returned home. Some of them, however, at length reached St. James's, but the mob threw dirt at them as they got out of their carriages, even at the Palace gate.

A hearſe, with two black, and two white horſes, accompanied the proceſſion to St. James's; on one ſide of the hearſe was hung a cloth, on which was very ſtrikingly painted, a repreſentation of the ſoldiers firing at young Mr. Allen in St. George's Fields; on the other ſide, that of ſeveral Chairmen ſtriking Mr. Clarke over the head at Brentford.--The hearſe ſtopped at Charlton-Houſe, then at Cumberland Houſe, and afterwards at Lord Weymouth's.

An attempt was made to drive the hearſe into the Court-yard at St. James's, in conſequence of which a great tumult enſued, whereupon the riot act was read by Lord Talbot, and the mob were deſired to diſperſe, but without effect, and ſome of them broke the wand in Lord Talbot's hand, and then gave him a violent blow on the ſide of his head. The riot act was read twice afterwards.

Yeſterday his Grace the Duke of Kingſton was inſulted by the mob at St. James's, by their throwing mud at his coach; but as ſoon as they knew his Grace, they begged pardon, and wiped off the mud with their coats, giving him three loud huzzas.

Yeſterday his Grace the Duke of Northumberland was alſo attacked in the above manner; but upon being told who he was, they made their ſubmiſſion, and ſuffered his Grace to paſs.

Yeſterday a party of the horſe guards were ordered to patrole the ſtreets.

Yeſterday there was a grand Council held at St. James's.---The only officers of State preſent, were the Earl of Hertford, Earl of Talbot, Duke of Ancaſter, and Lord Weymouth. In the evening a Gazette Extraordinary was publiſhed, containing a proclamation for ſuppreſſing riots, tumults, and unlawful aſſemblies.

The number of gentlemen who ſet out with the addreſs were about 600, and only between 120 and 150 reached St. James's, whoſe carriages were covered with dirt, and much damaged. About 17 rioters were taken into cuſtody.

Further proceedings of the populace on Wedneſday laſt. March 24.

When Mr. Boehm was obliged to get out of his coach, at Nando's Coffee-houſe on Wedneſday laſt, to avoid the mob, in his hurry he left the original addreſs under the cuſhion of one of the ſeats of the coach, and immediately ordered the coachman to go home; ſome of the mob opened the coach door, and began to ſearch for the addreſs, but the coachman declaring it was ſent before (though he knew not where it was) that they were leſs diligent in their ſearch, and miſſed laying hold of it, by not feeling ſix inches further on the ſeat.----The coachman then drove back, but inſtead of going home, thinking his maſter or miſtreſs might want the coach next day, he drove to the coach-maker's in Biſhopſgate-ſtreet. As ſoon as Mr. Boehm was ſafe in the Coffee-houſe, ſome gentlemen went to St. James's to inform the Lords in waiting the occaſion of their delay, and that Mr. Boehm would follow when the croud was a little diſperſed; but after waiting an hour or more, and no addreſs arriving, a meſſenger was diſpatched back to the Coffee-houſe for the addreſs, where Mr. Boehm, having miſſed it, remained in great ſuſpence, and had ſent to his houſe to have the coach ſearched, but no coach was arrived there, which cauſed great confuſion for ſome time; at laſt one of the ſervants hinted that the coachman might have gone to the coach-maker's, as it wanted repairing; where they ſent, and luckily found the addreſs under the cuſhion, which was immediately forwarded to St. James's. This accident retarded the preſenting the addreſs upwards of two hours.---In the mean time thoſe gentlemen who had arrived at St. James's, and were waiting for it, by the advice of Sir F. N. had begun to ſign a copy, which one of the gentlemen had by him, in order to preſent it, when luckily the addreſs came, after a dozen had ſigned the copy.

Joſeph Watkins, junior, Eſq; delivered the addreſs to his Majeſty, which was graciouſly received. It was ſigned by above one thouſand principal merchants and traders of this city, and is as follows.

To the KING's *moſt* EXCELLENT MAJESTY.

MOST GRACIOUS SOVEREIGN,

WE your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal ſubjects, the merchants, traders, and other principal inhabitants of your city of London, truly ſenſible, that it has been your Majeſty's conſtant care and principal object, ſince you aſcended the throne of your illuſtrious anceſtors, to ſecure to your people, the full enjoyment of their religion, laws and liberties, inviolable, and to make them happy and flouriſhing, under your Majeſty's moſt auſpicious government, beg leave to profeſs our ſteady loyalty and duty to your Majeſty, and our firm reſolution to exert our utmoſt power in ſupporting the honour and dignity of your Majeſty's crown, in preſerving the ſafety, peace and tranquility of your Majeſty's realms, in maintaining public credit, and promoting commerce, for the benefit of your ſubjects throughout your dominions.

And we beg leave to expreſs our concern and abhorrence of every attempt to ſpread ſedition, to inflame the minds, and alienate the affections of a free and loyal people from the beſt of Kings, and his government, which we apprehend has of late been encouraged, without the leaſt ſhadow of foundation, by ſome few ill-deſigning perſons, to anſwer ſiniſter and ſelfiſh purpoſes.

And we moſt ſincerely pray Almighty God, that your Majeſty's great and bright example of piety, goodneſs and clemency, may operate ſo effectually upon the minds of your people, as to ſuppreſs that ſpirit of licentiouſneſs, profaneneſs and irreligion, which has been induſtriouſly propagated, to delude the unwary to their own deſtruction; and that the ſame good providence will grant your Majeſty a long and happy reign over a dutiful and loyal people, and bleſs your endeavours with ſucceſs, in a firm and permanent eſtabliſhment of our moſt excellent conſtitution, which is not only admired, but envied by all foreign nations.

To which Addreſs His MAJESTY *was pleaſed to return this moſt gracious* ANSWER.

THE juſt ſenſe you entertain of my deſire to ſecure to my people the full enjoyment of their religion, laws and liberties; and the ſtrong aſſurances you give me of your reſolution to ſupport the dignity of my crown, to preſerve peace among my ſubjects, to maintain public credit, and to promote commerce, afford me the greateſt ſatisfaction; as well as your abhorrence of that inflammatory ſpirit of ſedition, which it has been the buſineſs of artful and ſpecious miſrepreſentation to propagate.

The warm wiſhes you expreſs for the ſtability and permanence of this happy conſtitution, and the intereſt you take in my proſperity, will always deſerve my favour and protection."

They were all moſt graciouſly received, and had the honour to kiſs His Majeſty's hand.

A certain N------n in a high employment, addreſſed the mob at St. James's, and told them, that for the ſake of their wives and families, and to prevent the bad conſequences of their behaviour, he would even go on his knees, if that would induce them to diſperſe quietly.

The riotous proceedings ſtill increaſing, and likely to prove extremely outrageous, the horſe guards were obliged to be ſent for, which proved the only effectual remedy to ſuch licentious behaviour, and made a total diſperſion of the mob. Seventeen of the rioters were taken into cuſtody, and were carried before Sir John Fielding, to be dealt with according to law.

Strict ſearch is making after the man who drove the hearſe before the cavalcade at St. James's, in order to trace out the principal promoters of that humourous device, and which, if he be found, may prove a ſerious matter to the innocent inventors of it.

We are informed that the perſons taken into cuſtody at St. James's, charged with breaking the peace, will be tried under a ſpecial commiſſion.

The rage of the mob was ſcarce ever known to laſt ſo long as it did on Wedneſday, there being ſcarce any abatement of their fury from Cheapſide, till they were diſperſed by the horſe-guards at St. James's.

Lawrence Balfe, and Edward M'Quirke, the two chairmen, were yeſterday diſcharged out of Newgate, they having given bail to plead his Majeſty's pardon.

The Houſe of Peers is adjourned to the 6th, and the Houſe of Commons to the 4th of April.

To the Gentlemen, Clergy, and Freeholders of the County of Middleſex.

GENTLEMEN,

AFTER the Senſe of the County had ſo lately appeared in the cleareſt Manner, by my *unanimous* Re-election, I did not expect that any Gentleman could have been found to oppoſe me, ſtill leſs in ſo unfair a Way, as by a Declaration not many Hours previous to the Poll. The Advertiſement of Mr. Charles Dingley in every public Paper, is ſtolen upon us only this Morning, altho' the Day of Election has been fixed near a Month. This Plan of Trick and Surpriſe has been, however, concerting for ſome Weeks, in a clandeſtine and dark Manner, with the Enemies of your Freedom and Independency. The Meanneſs and Artifice of this ungenerous Attack, is to be ranked among the various miniſterial Meaſures employed to ſet aſide the Man of your free Choice; but your Firmneſs and Spirit have rendered vain and fruitleſs all the Contrivances of low Cunning, and the Efforts of weak Malice. My Opponent declares, under his Hand, that *he had been ſolicited by ſome reſpectable Freeholders of the County of Middleſex, to offer himſelf as a Candidate to repreſent them in Parliament, on Account of the preſent Vacancy*, but in Fact, no Freeholder could be prevailed upon even to put him in Nomination. The noble Stand you have made this Day in a Cauſe, which is common to every Elector of Great-Britain, will be remembered with Gratitude by our lateſt Poſterity. My perſonal Obligations to you, Gentlemen, for your generous Support on this Occaſion, I can never forget, but as an Engliſhman, the Greatneſs of your Conduct, in ſo important and trying an Inſtance, affects me ſtill more ſenſibly; for you have glorioufly aſſerted the clear Rights of every Freeholder in the Iſland, which a deſpotic Miniſtry had openly invaded.

The manly Spirit you have exerted this Day, in direct Oppoſition to every Art and Intrigue of a corrupt Adminiſtration, cannot fail of making a ſtrong Impreſſion upon a Sett of Men who ſeek the Ruin of public Liberty. They have long loſt Sight of all national Good, but they may now poſſibly refrain from further Acts of Deſpotiſm, and if we enjoy the noble Privileges of our Country, confirmed by the *Great Charter*, and the *Bill of Rights*, particularly thoſe reſpecting the Freedom of Elections, ſecured to us by the Wiſdom and Valour of our Anceſtors, we ſhall owe our Happineſs to the Zeal and Vigour with which you, Gentlemen, and the other independent Electors of this Kingdom, have ſupported theſe original and primary Rights of Engliſhmen. Whatever be the Conſequences of this Day's Proceedings, you have the Satisfaction of having borne your Teſtimony to the juſt Claims of every Freeholder, and the beſt Rights of our Inheritance. The Nation will in this Age do Juſtice to your Merit; but your Reward will not have an End with the preſent Times; your Names and Memories will become dear and venerable to all future Ages.

I am, Gentlemen, with much Reſpect and Gratitude,
Your affectionate, and faithful humble Servant,
JOHN WILKES.

King's Bench Priſon,
March 16, 1769.

BY Virtue of a Writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public Sale, on Monday, the 22d of May, at 7 o'Clock in the Evening, at the Houſe of Jacob Barge, in Market-ſtreet, a certain Lot of Ground, ſituate on the Weſt Side of Seventh-ſtreet, in the City of Philadelphia, containing in Breadth 40 Feet, and in Depth 100 Feet; bounded by ſaid Seventh-ſtreet, Zane's-ſtreet, and Ground of Jonathan Zane, junior, ſubject to a Groundrent of Ten Pounds, Pennſylvania Currency, per Annum; late the Eſtate of William Faries, ſeized and taken in Execution by
JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

TO BE SOLD,

A LIKELY NEGROE GIRL, who has about three years to ſerve. Enquire of the Printers. ‡

BY Virtue of a Writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public Sale, on Tueſday, the 30th Day of May, at 7 o'Clock in the Evening, at the London-Coffee-Houſe, a certain 3 Story Brick Meſſuage, and Lot of Ground, ſituate on the South-ſide of High-ſtreet, in the City of Philadelphia, containing in Breadth on ſaid Street 16 Feet 6 Inches, including the weſtermoſt Half Part of a certain 2 Feet 9 and a Half Inch Alley, and in Length or Depth Feet, or thereabouts; bounded Eaſtward by Ground of Iſaac Greenleafe, Southward by a Lot whereof this was Part, Weſtward by Ground of Aquilla Jones, and Northward by High-ſtreet aforeſaid; late the Eſtate of William Clinton, deceaſed, ſeized and taken in Execution by JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

BY Virtue of a Writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public Sale, on Tueſday, the 30th of May, at 7 o' Clock in the Evening, at the London Coffee-Houſe, Four certain yearly Rents, amounting to £ 12:6:6 Sterling, viz. One yearly Rent of 40s. Sterling, iſſuing out of a Lot of Ground, ſituate in the Diſtrict of Southwark, bounded Northward by a Lot late of William Cunningham, Weſtward by Front-ſtreet continued, Southward by a Lot now or late of Joſeph Shippen, and Eaſtward by Ground late of William Annis, deceaſed.----One other yearly Rent, of £ 3:4:6 Sterling, iſſuing out of another Lot of Ground, ſituate in the Diſtrict of Southwark aforeſaid, bounded Northward by Land late of Anthony Noble, Weſtward by Front-ſtreet continued, Southward by Land late of Edward Shippen, and Eaſtward by Land late of William Annis, deceaſed.----One other yearly Rent, of £ 5:2:0 Sterling, iſſuing out of another Lot of Ground, ſituate in the Diſtrict of Southwark aforeſaid, bounded Weſtward by Land late of Anthony Noble, Northward by Land late of William Cunningham, Eaſtward by Penn-ſtreet, and Southward by Land late of William Annis, deceaſed. And one other yearly Rent, of 40s. Sterling, iſſuing out of a Lot of Ground, ſituate on the South Side of Cedar-ſtreet, bounded Northward by Cedar-ſtreet aforeſaid, Weſtward by Land late of Alexander Alexander, Southward by Land late of Philip Hulbert, and Eaſtward by Land late of William Annis, deceaſed; late the Eſtate of Robert and Suſanna Lindſay; ſeized and taken in Execution by JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

BY Virtue of a Writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public Sale, on Wedneſday, the 31ſt of May, at 7 o' Clock in the Evening, at the London Coffee-Houſe, a certain Brick Meſſuage, and Lot of Ground, ſituate in the City of Philadelphia, containing in Breadth 15 Feet, and in Depth from Front-ſtreet to Water-ſtreet 40 Feet, bounded Northward by a Lot of John Moyes, and Southward by a Lot of Andrew Hamilton, ſubject to a Groundrent of £ 26:5:0 Pennſylvania Currency, per Annum; late the Eſtate of Thomas White; ſeized and taken in Execution by
JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

BY Virtue of a Writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public Sale, on Thurſday, the 1ſt Day of June, at 2 o' Clock in the Afternoon, on the Premiſes, a certain Tract of Land, ſituate on the Weſt-ſide of Germantown Road, about 5 Miles and a Half from Philadelphia, containing about 23 Acres, more or leſs, whereon is a Nurſery of the beſt Collection of various Sorts of Fruit Trees, and about 7 Acres thereof are good watered Meadow; on the ſaid Tract is erected a good 2 Story Stone Meſſuage and Kitchen, a compleat tanyard, with 28 Vatts, a Stream of Water running through the ſame, and all neceſſary Buildings belonging thereto. Alſo a Still-Houſe, well ſupplied with Water by a Fountain, which keeps conſtantly playing in the Cooling Tubs, or any other Part, and a good Barn, Stables, &c.

Alſo a certain other Tract of Land, adjoining the aforeſaid Tract, high and pleaſantly ſituated, containing about 20 Acres, and fronts about 40 Perches on the ſaid Road; whereon is a very good Orchard of the beſt Fruit Trees, ſuch as Apple, Pear, Peach, Plumb, Cherry, &c. About 3 Acres thereof are of the beſt watered Meadow, and about 3 Acres of Wood-land, with good Quarries of Building Stone; bounded by Lands of Theobald Ent, James Logan, Samuel Aſhmead, Eſq; and Shippen; late the Eſtate of Jacob Naglee; ſeized and taken in Execution, by
JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

At the ſame Time will be ſold the Grain in the Ground, and the Graſs in the Meadows.

BY Virtue of a Writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public Sale, on Friday, the 2d of June, at 2 o' Clock in the Afternoon, at the Houſe of Mrs. Mackinett, in Germantown; a certain Plantation, or Tract of Land, ſituate on the Road, leading from Wiſſahickon to Germantown Road, commonly called Shute's Road, containing about 12 Acres, the greateſt Part Meadow Ground, and a thriving Orchard, having a wooden Tenement and large Barn erected thereon, now in the Tenure of John Deal.

Alſo a certain Lot of Ground, ſituate on Manheim-ſtreet, in Germantown, containing about 13 Acres; bounded Eaſtward and Weſtward by Ground of Edward Shippen, Eſq; ſeized and taken in Execution, by JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

BY Virtue of a Writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public Sale, on Friday, the 2d of June, at 2 o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the Houſe of Peter Hillegas, in Upper Hanover, a certain Tenement, Barn, Stables, and two contiguous Tracts of Land, ſituate in Upper Hanover Townſhip, containing in the whole about 137 Acres, 15 Perches; bounded by Lands of Andrew Nawras, John Sechlar, George Welker, and others; late the Eſtate of Michael Reed, ſeized and taken in Execution by
JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

Imported in the laſt Veſſels from London, &c. A Large Aſſortment of European and India Goods, to be diſpoſed of, on reaſonable Terms, for Caſh or ſhort Credit, by

JOSEPH SIMS,

At his Store, below the Drawbridge.

Said Sims has alſo to diſpoſe of, a large Copper STILL, and Worm for Ditto, which he will ſell very cheap. ‡

TO be SOLD at BENJAMIN KENDALL's ſtore, next door to the Tun and Croſs-Keys tavern, the corner of Third and Cheſtnut-ſtreets, wholeſale and retail, a large quantity of FLAX and HEMP, ready dreſſed, at the loweſt Prices. ¶

Eaſton Goal, Northampton County, May 3, 1769.

WAS committed to the ſaid goal, on the 23d day April laſt, a certain Negroe man, who calls himſelf James, ſays he belongs to one Daniel Hughes, at John Didum's furnace, on Didum Creek, near Conegocheague, in Frederick county, Maryland; his maſter is hereby deſired to fetch him away, and pay charges, from me JACOB BACHMAN, Goaler. ¶

[*For more new Advertiſements, ſee the Fourth Page.*]

VISTULA, January 30.

THE Turks have prevented the Ruſſians from making a Winter Campaign, as they intended, by carrying off all the Proviſions from the Neighbourhood of the Nieſter, as well as from Wallachia and Moldavia. The Influence of a certain Nation over the Divan becomes daily more and more apparent; inſomuch as to threaten the Enlargement of the Theatre of War in Europe, unleſs ſome other Powers find Means to avert the Storm.

Peterſbourg, Jan. 31. While the Court is concerting Means to enable the Army to take the Field as early as poſſible, that of providing the Sinews of War is not neglected. Accordingly the Contributions impoſed upon the Peaſants are augmented a Ruble and a Half each per Annum, which will raiſe One Million and a Half of Rubles. The Province of Livonia is alſo taxed 100,000 Rubles per Annum, and that of Eſtonia 50,000. All Perſons in civil Employments are likewiſe to pay 20 per Cent. out of their Salaries, and Perſons who keep Equipages, are to pay five Rubles for each Horſe. Nevertheleſs all the Taxes above-mentioned are to ſubſiſt only during the War.

Copenhagen, Feb. 24. The King has not only reſolved to put his Navy upon a reſpectable Footing, by fitting out 8 Men of War and two Frigates, but intends likewiſe to augment his Troops. Accordingly his Majeſty has given Orders to raiſe a Regiment of Dragoons, 5 Companies of Foot, and 10 Companies of Skielobers in Norway; 13 Battalions in Denmark, and 3 Battalions in the Duchies of Schleſwig and Holſtein. Beſides this every Regiment of Cavalry is to be augmented 100 men, and the Corps of Artillery 12 Men per Company.

LONDON, *February* 14.

In the City of Liege, Capital of the Biſhoprick of the ſame Name, and famous for its Iron Manufactory, it is ſuppoſed are near 500,000 Artificers. Previous to a War, there is generally much recruiting in this Town, moſt of theſe Men having ſerved in a former War. At preſent, Spain, France, the Empreſs, and King of Pruſſia, are beating up there for Volunteers: Is it not ſufficient to alarm Great-Britain, and to make Party ceaſe, that we may unite againſt the common Enemy?

According to Letters received at Venice, great Diſſenſions prevail among the principal Grandees at Conſtantinople, in regard to the preſent War with the Ruſſians.

Feb. 23. Letters from Conſtantinople ſay, that that City ſwarms with Vagabonds, who, under Pretence of going to the Army to ſhed their Blood for their Country, make no Scruple of clapping a Knife to the Throats of the Inhabitants, to procure wherewithal to equip themſelves. Several Complaints of theſe Violences, it ſeems, have been made to the Grand Vizir; but all the Anſwer he gave was, "That no Means could ever be found to bring People to Reaſon, who were determined to ſacrifice themſelves for their Country; and that every one muſt relieve himſelf as well as he could from the Embarraſſment occaſioned by Circumſtances of that Nature."

Feb. 25. The favourite Toaſt among Mr. Wilkes's Friends is, "Succeſs to the Subſcription for Liberty, and perpetual Liberty "to the Subſcribers."

On Wedneſday, the 22d ult. a Motion was made in the H. of C. and the Queſtion being put, that the Eaſt-India Company do lay before the Houſe an Account of the Number of Troops, by the laſt Accounts, in each Settlement, ſpecifying the European Troops, the Country Troops, and the European Officers employed in them; ſtating whether any, or what Part, of the Bengal Army is, or has been paid by Sujah Dowla, for the Protection granted him by the Company; as alſo, an Account of the Number of Troops ſent, or under Orders to go, ſince thoſe Accounts were made. It paſſed in the Negative. Ordered, that the Eaſt-India Company lay before the H. the State of the Caſh in the Treaſuries of the different Preſidencies, at the Departure of the laſt Ships, together with the ſeveral Sums advanced for the different Inveſtments. Likewiſe, an Account of the Expences of each Settlement in India, from January 1, 1767, to January 1, 1768; diſtinguiſhing the Civil from the Military Eſtabliſhment. As alſo, Extracts of all ſuch Letters from Lord Clive, relative to the Revenues, as have not yet been laid before the Houſe.

Feb. 28. A great Lawyer, ſpeaking the other Day, before a large Audience, of the Licentiouſneſs of the Times, and of the Want of proper Reſpect in the People to their Superiors, mentioned, as a glaring Inſtance of it, the diſreſpectful Behaviour lately ſhewn to a very great Perſonage at the Play-houſe.

Two Gentlemen in the Pariſh of St. Ann's, Black Friars, have for ſome Time paſt worn their Beards, and declare they will not be ſhaved till a popular Gentleman takes his Seat.

A few Days ago a Gentleman for his Diverſion advertiſed, that a Lady of a moderate Fortune wanted a Huſband; and it is not leſs aſtoniſhing than true, that the Letters received in Anſwer to the Advertiſement, amounted to no leſs than 279.

Advice is ſaid to be received, that two French Men of War, with Land Forces on board, were lately caſt away on the Iſland of Madagaſcar, bound to Mauritius with Stores.

Some Letters from Conſtantinople mention, that the Grand Signor has declared his Intention of heading in Perſon the grand Ottoman Army this Summer againſt the Ruſſians.

Letters from Rome mention, that it is generally imagined there, that his Holineſs the Pope died broken-hearted, on Account of the great Oppoſition he has met with of late from ſeveral Roman Catholick Potentates, and their Infringements of his Prerogative.

On Monday a handſome Piece of Plate was preſented to Mr. Bingley in the King's-Bench Priſon, from a Gentleman unknown, accompanied with a very genteel and polite Letter, of which the following is an Extract: "Give me Leave, Sir, to expreſs the Senſe of that high Eſteem I entertain of your Conduct, in generouſly ſtanding forth in the public-ſpirited Cauſe of endeavouring to ſupport the conſtitutional Right of Trial by Jury."

They write from Amſterdam, that ſeveral large Ships are now loading there with proper Cargoes for the Dutch Settlements in the Weſt-Indies; for which, it is expected, there will this Summer be a great Demand from the Britiſh American Colonies.

March 4. We hear that a Great Perſonage has expreſſed much Diſapprobation at ſome late Meetings that have been held.

Advice is ſaid to be received, that the French Merchants of Rochelle, Bourdeaux, and other Sea-ports of the Kingdom, are preparing to ſhip this Seaſon, immenſe Cargoes on board their Veſſels going on the Newfoundland Fiſhery; with what View may be eaſily gueſſed.

March 7. It is ſaid, that ſome great Officers, previous to their going the Circuit, received Inſtructions to promote Addreſſes being ſent from the ſeveral Counties, expreſſing their Abhorrence of the Increaſe of Faction, and the numerous Meetings lately held to ſupport the Cauſe of a popular Priſoner, as involved in the Cauſe of the Public.

Lord S------h, it is confidently ſaid, is to ſucceed Lord Townſhend in the Government of Ireland.

Yeſterday 500 Tons of Shipping were taken up in the River, on Government Contract, to tranſport Troops and Stores for his Majeſty's Governors on the Coaſt of Guinea.

The Eltham, Phillips, from Carolina to Oporto, is loſt on Oporto Bar, and all the Crew periſhed.

The Packet, which arrived Yeſterday from Liſbon, brought Diſpatches to M. Mello de Caſtro, Envoy Extraordinary from the Court of Portugal, upon the Subject of which his Excellency this Morning had a Conference with the Earl of Rochfort.

March 9. We are informed that one of the Reaſons for diſcharging the Debts upon the Civil Liſt has had great Weight with every unprejudiced Perſon, viz. That his M------- generouſly made a preſent of 700,000 l. Sterling, which accrued to the Crown under the Article of Caſual Revenues, and aroſe from the Sale of French Prizes taken before the Declaration of War: And another Reaſon, equally cogent, is, that he alſo paid 200,000 l. which remained as a Demand upon the late King's Civil Liſt, at the Time of his Demiſe. An Example of Royal Juſtice, never experienced in any former Reign whatever.

This Morning a Quantity of Ordnance Stores were ſhipped at Woolwich on board the St. Ann Tranſport for Senegal.

We are told that the Proceedings of Yeſterday at the King's Arms Tavern, are likely to be productive of agreeable Conſequences to the Gentlemen of the Long Robe.

We hear that the Right Hon. the Counteſs of Huntingdon, has taken the Chapel, near the Long Room at Hampſtead, for the Uſe of the Rev. Mr. George Whitefield.

March 10. It is ſaid that the Council, to whoſe Opinions the Queſtion touching the Legality of Mr. Wilkes's Election of an Alderman has been referred by the Court of Lord Mayor and Aldermen, are Mr. Attorney, and Solicitor General, Sir Fletcher Norton, Mr. Sergeants Glynn and Leith, Mr. Yorke, Mr. Recorder, and Mr. Common Sergeant. That the Opinions will not be given until after the Sergeants Return from the Circuits, as they are firſt to hold a Conſultation.

An Evening Paper of laſt Night ſays, "By a Letter from Scotland we are aſſured, that a Perſon of Conſequence in that Kingdom, who was going one Day, in Form, to open a certain Court, was very roughly handled by the Populace, and very narrowly eſcaped with his Life, on Account of a caſting Vote given on a late Occaſion."

There are ſaid to be near 40 Members going down to their Country Seats, to raiſe Subſcriptions for what they call the public Cauſe.

According to Letters from Conſtantinople, the Grand Vizir has engaged 20 French Engineers into the Ottoman Army, at a high Rate, to ſerve the Porte during the preſent War with Ruſſia.

We are told that though the Liſt of miniſterial Changes, mentioned in ſome of Yeſterday's Papers, is not authentic, yet there will certainly be ſome Alterations in a few of the higheſt Departments before the 25th Inſtant.

March 14. A letter from Bologna ſays, "The new Pope, whoever he may be, will find Trouble enough cut out for him. At Venice they have juſt taken the laſt Step towards a total Independence from Eccleſiaſtical Power. The Senate has iſſued a Decree, by which all the Church Revenues are, without Diſtinction, ſubjected to the ſame Taxes as the Eſtates of Laymen; the firſt Example we have ever had of ſuch an abſolute Tax being laid on Eccleſiaſticks in a Catholick Country."

March 15. The Earl of Chatham is greatly recovered from his late ſevere Indiſpoſition, and intends being very ſoon in Town upon public Buſineſs.

Private Letters from Paris mention, that the Court had much at Heart the Election of Cardinal York to the Roman Pontificate.

We are credibly informed, that Part of the Fleet now fitting out for Sea, at Portſmouth and Plymouth, are to be ſtationed off the Banks of Newfoundland, and the reſt to form a Chain, in Conjunction with other Ships, as far to the Southward as the Gulph of Florida, for the better Protection of that Trade.

March 16. A certain deſpotic Governor, once bragging of his Power, was aſked by a Friend, whether he could hang People without trying them? No, replied he, not immediately hang them, but we can make them hang themſelves.

March 21. We are informed a Subſcription is on foot at Hampton-Court, for the Support of Mr Alderman Wilkes.

March 22. We are confidently informed, that a great Northern Potentate, offended at the Encroachments of two great Southern Powers, has beheld with Indignation their Attempts to make a Pope, and is now actually on his Journey to Rome, to be perſonally preſent during the Election of a Pontiff.

A young Ruſſian Nobleman, aged about 18 Years, is lately arrived in England, in order to learn the Engliſh Method of working a Ship; to which End, by Permiſſion of the Lords of the Admiralty, Lieutenant Walters, of Greenwich, will, in a few Days, ſail with the ſaid young Nobleman in a Veſſel now lying at that Place, on a two Months Voyage for Liſbon, and other Parts of the Mediterranean. Neither the French nor Ruſſian Languages are to be ſpoken, but only Engliſh during the whole Voyage.

Extract of a Letter from the Confines of Italy, Feb. 19.

"*Nobody looks on the Death of the late Pope as natural. On opening the Body, there appeared ſeveral Symptoms which gave Room for ſtrong Suſpicion of foul Play. As his Holineſs had taken his Reſolution, and was at length determined to yield to the Remonſtrances of certain Sovereigns, it is conjectured that thoſe who would not have found their Account in it, were willing to attempt ſome Exploit, by Means of which, they might give Birth to ſome grand Revolution, or at leaſt, in endeavouring to avert the Storm, to ſell dear their own Deſtruction. It is certain that the ſtricteſt Search is making into the Affair, and that the Nephews of the late Pontiff, though attached to the Society of Jeſuits, neglect no Step to come at the Bottom of it.*

"*Had it not been for the Activity and Vigilance of the French Ambaſſador, a Pope would have been choſe before the due Opening of the Conclave. In the Night, between the 11th and 12th of this Month, his Excellency intercepted a Letter, which fully diſcovered the whole Plot, formed by the Jeſuits and their Adherents. Cardinal Chigi, a great Zealot for the Society, was to have been placed in the pontifical Chair.*

"*Since this Diſcovery, all the foreign Miniſters have placed numerous Guards in their Palaces; but as to Arms, there are none of any Kind to be purchaſed in Rome, having been all bought up, and conveyed away inſenſibly, few at a Time, by the Jeſuits: And the ſaid Miniſters have preſented, both jointly and ſeparately, different Memorials, wherein it is ſaid, "That in the different Departments of the Eccleſiaſtical State "there are, at this Time, more than 15,000 foreign Jeſuits, who are "employed, Night and Day, in learning the Uſe of Arms, and the "Military Exerciſe."*

BOSTON, April 27.

We hear that there are Advices in town, brought by Captain Coleman, that his Majeſty has been pleaſed to grant unto his Excellency Francis Bernard, Eſq; Governor of this Province, and to his heirs male, the dignity of a Baronet, of the kingdom of Great-Britain.

And that a Bill for quartering the troops in America, brought into parliament, on the plan of a friend to the colonies, had been concurred to by the Secretary at war, and received the Royal aſſent.

Extract of a letter from a member of parliament, to a gentleman in this town, dated February 17, 1769.

"The colonies ſtand, at preſent, in a ſtrange point of light here, eſpecially ſince the late reſolves of the aſſembly of New-York.

"Thoſe who ſee the extenſive miſchief, which muſt ariſe from theſe animoſities, are, by ſuch conduct, precluded from doing any ſervice.---They want ſome inſtances of temper and moderation, whereon to found an application for the repeal of the late acts of regulations.

"Would the Colonies petition with temper, and with full acknowledgment of the ſupreme right of this country to regulate the general commercial ſyſtem, I have little doubt, that the unhappy idea of taxation, would long, even for ever, be laid aſide."

A very melancholy accident happened, laſt Saturday morning, on board the brig Pitt-packet, commanded by Captain Thomas Power, belonging to Marblehead, and bound in there from Cadiz; the Brig, when within about 7 leagues of Cape-Ann, came acroſs the Roſe Man of war, was boarded, and two of her Men impreſſed; but theſe being, for ſome reaſons, releaſed, the Lieutenant of the Roſe, with a number of men, again boarded the brig, in order to take ſome of the other men, who, four in number, had ſecured themſelves in the fore peak, determined to defend themſelves, with ſome harpoons, &c. they had provided for the purpoſe, as long as they had life. The Lieutenant made uſe of moderate, kind and perſuaſive arguments, and offered, firſt, to take but two, and afterwards but one, if they would ſurrender themſelves; but all propoſals and intreaties being ineffectual to induce them to come up, the Lieutenant informed them, that he was determined to make uſe of force; and the ſailors as reſolutely proteſted, that they would kill any who ſhould attempt to take them; a piſtol, charged with powder, was fired at them, which burnt the face of one Michael Corbett; and afterwards another of them received a piſtol ſhot in his arm, which broke the bone: This increaſed their reſolution of dying rather than to ſurrender: And their whole conduct ſeemed to manifeſt ſuch an abhorrence of being forced on board a man of war, as to prefer death to ſuch a life as they deemed ſlavery.---They repeatedly declared they would kill the firſt man who offered to approach them; and a man the Lieutenant ſent to begin the attack upon them, was conſiderably wounded; on which he retreated. The Lieutenant then told them that he would lead the way to him himſelf; Corbett anſwered him, with the moſt ſolemn proteſtations, and called almighty God to witneſs, that ſo ſure as he advanced one inch farther, he ſhould inſtantly loſe his life. The Lieutenant told them, he had ſeen many a brave fellow, ſhould take a pinch of ſnuff, and then conſider of it; which having deliberately done, he began to ſtep towards them, when Corbett, agreeable to his promiſe, immediately threw a harpoon, which did inſtant execution; it hit the Lieutenant near the throat, and cut the jugular vein; on which he only had time to ſay, that he had taken his life; and gaſping three or four times, fell down, and expired; the ſailors ſtill continued to defend themſelves, notwithſtanding there was a large number of mariners at this time on board the brig; but having provided themſelves with a quantity of liquor, all but Corbett became ſo intoxicated therewith, that they were ſoon pulled out; he continued to defend himſelf for three houra and an half after he killed the Lieutenant, and it was thought, would have been killed upon the ſpot, rather than have been taken, if he had retained the uſe of his limbs; but being alſo overcome with liquor, was by that means taken. The Lieutenant, we hear, was named PANTON, a young gentleman between 20 and 30 years of age, and was much reſpected. The Captain of the Roſe, after this tragical affair, thought himſelf obliged to take charge of the Brig, as well as the men, and carried them to Boſton. The corpſe of the Lieutenant was kept on board the Brig, where it was to remain till a jury of inqueſt ſhould be ſummoned on the ſame.---Not one American belonged to the Brig.

May 1. Saturday, April 29, His Excellency Sir Francis Bernard, Bart. Governor, Commodore Hood, His Honour the Lieutenant Governor, Hon. A. Oliver, Secretary, and the Hon. Robert Auchmuty, Eſq; Judge of Admiralty; went on board the Roſe man of war, to take the ſteps previous to the trial of the men concerned in the death of Lieutenant Panton. Capt. Caldwell, of the Roſe, received and entertained them with the greateſt politeneſs. We hear the trial will come on within 15 or 16 Days.

Yeſterday arrived here from Nevis, the Raven tranſport, with the Hon. Alexander Mackay, Eſq; Colonel; Lieutenant Colonel Roberts, and Major Butler, of the 65th regiment, now quartered at the caſtle. Colonel Mackay is a Major General on the American eſtabliſhment, and a member of the preſent Britiſh parliament.------The command of the troops in the eaſtern diſtrict of America, now devoles on this gentleman.

Letters from London, by Captain Coleman, mention, That Lieutenant General Studholme Hodgſon, Colonel of the 4th regiment of foot, is to be appointed Commander in Chief of his Majeſty's Forces in America, and Governor of this province; and that his Majeſty, as an additional Proof of his regard for Governor Bernard, beſides granting him the Dignity of a Baronet, ordered all the fees (which amount to about 1000 l. ſterling) to be paid out of the privy purſe.

We are told that ſome enemies to the conſtitution of this province, have aſſured the m------y, that the agreement of the merchants not to import any Britiſh manufactures, until a repeal of the late duty acts ſhall be obtained, would not be kept to, but they might depend that the private intereſt of individuals would counterwork the ſchemes of thoſe, who pretended a zeal and love for their country, was the motive in coming into ſuch an Agreement, and that it was their opinion, no meaſure could be better calculated to alarm and embarraſs the m------y, and bring about a redreſs of American grievances.---We hope however, that the diſintereſted virtue of our merchants will appear in as advantageous a light as did that of our famous Ninety-two; and that it will not be in the power of a few avaricious traders, not to ſay merchants, to force that reſpectable body to a reſcinding of thoſe wiſe and ſalutary reſtrictions.

On Friday laſt his Excellency the Governor was pleaſed to iſſue the King's writ for calling a new General Aſſembly, to be convened at Boſton on Wedneſday, the 31ſt of this month; and we hear that precepts are iſſued to the ſeveral towns in this province, for the electing members for that purpoſe.

For the ſatisfaction of the friends of liberty in this, and the neighbouring colonies, they are acquainted that there has not been imported in all the ſhips from England, more woollen goods than would fill a long-boat.------That the agreement of the merchants has been ſtrictly adhered to; ſuch of them as have had goods ſent them, having freely engaged to deliver them up to the committee of inſpection.------A few traders have taken advantage of the virtue and public ſpirit of the merchants; their names will ſoon be made public through the continent, and tranſmitted to poſterity with infamy, in the annals of their country.

Extract of a letter from a gentleman in England to his friend in Connecticut.

"My heart trembles under the proſpect of public affairs. It looks to me as though God was about to puniſh both us, and you, for our reſpective wretched declenſions.---The clouds are gathering---the ſtorm of the divine indignation ſeems to be approaching. I ſhould have been glad to have read from your public papers that you had appointed days for faſting and prayer, and were engaged in ſeeking to the Lord, that your grievances, inſtead of being encreaſed, might be removed. This would have been more pleaſing, and of far more ſervice to your cauſe in Britain, and of much better Report, than the account of the manner in which the 14th of Auguſt was celebrated by the Sons of Liberty, and of the toaſts they drank. I am ſo much the friend to that cauſe, they are the eſpouſers of, that I am grieved at every thing that has a tendency to injure it, by prejudicing perſons againſt the Americans.

"Let nothing provoke you to have a recourſe to arms---for many would be glad to ſee you falling into that ſnare; and your doing it would loſe you a number of your friends.---You have now gone too far to go back---You muſt abide by your determinations, and let nothing move you from your reſolutions, though an entire ſtop ſhould be put to your whole trade.---You muſt try who can ſtand it out longeſt, Britain, or America. Should you tire as Iſſachar, and crouch down between your burthens, becauſe that preſent reſt is good, you are loaded for ever with a mode of taxing wherein your conſent is not required. The merchants and traders muſt agree to ſubmit to any difficulties for a few years, that they may carry their point, and leave their poſterity that invaluable pearl---LIBERTY---A few years muſt relieve them; for a firm adherence to their reſolutions, will ſo affect our manufacturers, (theſe are our preſent difficulties, which are already ſo great through the decay of commerce, that we know not what to do) excite compaſſion, and raiſe up a party to eſpouſe their intereſt, that for our own ſakes we ſhall be obliged to comply."

The merchants of this town met according to adjournment on Thurſday laſt, when the committee appointed to make enquiry relative to the importation of goods by the veſſels lately arrived from Great Britain, reported, that 5 or 6 perſons, who were ſigners to the late agreement, had received a few articles, the remains of former orders) and were ready to deliver them up to the care of the committee; and that ſome who were not ſigners, had imported ſome goods prohibited by the late agreement, which as to quality and quantity were very ſmall.---The merchants then appointed a committee to confer with the Perſons laſt mentioned, and to conſider what meaſures might be proper to take, to prevent any further importations, and then adjourned their meeting to Tueſday next.

NEWPORT, May 1.

By a gentleman from Nantucket, we are informed, that there have arrived at that port, within 10 days, 4 brigs, and 2 ſchooners from London, in which there were not more goods brought than would load a common canoe, excepting a few articles for the fiſhery. To the honour of the merchants of Nantucket, it ought to be obſerved, that, notwithſtanding they never entered into any engagement not to import goods, yet perhaps no part of America has more ſtrictly acted according to ſuch agreement; and that their not importing goods is not owing to their want of credit in England, but to their voluntary determination religiouſly to govern them-

ſelves according to the agreement of their brethren in Boſton and other parts, for ſupporting the liberty of this much abuſed country. An example this worthy the imitation of every man in North-America, who either deſires to be free himſelf, or leave his poſterity ſo: And he who will not follow it as far as poſſible, without involving himſelf in abſolute ruin, deſerves to have his name engraven on an adamantine ſtatue of ſlavery, to be handed down, *with contempt*, to the lateſt ages of America.

Extract of a letter from London, by a veſſel which left London after the 16th of March.

"----- I have attended the houſe of lords and commons very cloſely; could always get into either by the influence of a friend,--- and have been introduced to ſeveral of the nobility upon American affairs; who were friends to America. L----d H------- has a----- ſhare of underſtanding, is very poſitive, and ſaid in the Houſe of L---ds, the acts were totally anti-commercial, and againſt the intereſt of trade in general; but at the ſame time it was dangerous to repeal them. He was very angry about the *circular letter*, ſaid it was calculated by that Otis, and his party, to ſet all the colonies in a flame, and believed in his ſoul it would have that effect, and if it ſhould, it would ruin both countries; and further, if he could have foreſeen the difficulties which had riſen, he would never have accepted the place he was in.----He really appeared to be faſt a-ground.-----And at preſent all the M-n--ſt-y are in great confuſion, as they find the other governments pay no regard to their dictatorial letters, but adhere to the circular letter from Boſton, in conſequence of which the governors have diſſolved many of the aſſemblies---The ſtorm is gathering very faſt about the M---try--- the nation calls loudly for a change---they begin to feel the effects of non-importation----All the city members are for the colonies and Rockingham intereſt. The principal of the Houſe of Lords for us are, Richmond, Rockingham, Shelburne, &c.----If the colonies prove ſteady and firm, the late acts will be repealed. ----The board of commiſſioners will *fall*.---You will ſee ſome of G------r B-----d's letters, copied from the table of the Houſe of C-----ns, which muſt make him infamous in the eyes of every honeſt man.-----It is thought he will not tarry long in Boſton after the publication of his papers now before the C---ns.---All the beſt ſpeakers in the Houſe of C-----ns were in favour of the colonies, viz. Burke, Beckford, Barre, Wedderburn, Dowdeſwell, Sir G. Saville, and many others: On the other ſide Lord North, Chancellor, Attorney, and Solicitor General." &c.

PHILADELPHIA, May 11.

"As it ever gives me particular Pleaſure to communicate any Thing that may tend to give Satisfaction to the Public, I embrace this Opportunity to inform them, that by certain Intelligence received by Captain Creighton, from a Perſon cloſely connected with the Miniſtry, they are meditating healing and ſalutary Meaſures for the North Americans."

Captain Guitton, from Barbados, on the 23d ult. in Lat. 23:55, Long. 63:49, ſpoke the Ship Donegall, Captain Ferguſon, from this Port for Antigua, out 14 Days, all well.

Captain Ruſſell, in 6 Weeks from Briſtol, on the 30th of March, in Lat. 42:32, ſpoke a Brig from Newry, bound to New-York, out 7 Days. On the Paſſage he met with ſeveral Gales of Wind, in which he ſhipped ſome heavy Seas; and on the 2d Inſtant, being very thick hazy Weather, his Veſſel ſtruck ſeveral Times on the Overfalls, and made a great Deal of Water, which obliged him to ſtave his Water Caſks, and heave a Quantity of Salt overboard, in order to lighten her.---The Ship Chalkley, Captain Young, and the Hercules, Captain Scott, ſailed 3 Weeks before him for this Place, but meeting with bad Weather, the former had put into Cork, and the latter into Falmouth; and the Penn, Captain Harkies, ſailed in Company with him.

Captain Brown, from Londonderry, on the 24th ult. in Lat. 36:26, Long. 71:14, ſpoke the Hanover Planter, Captain Watſon, from Jamaica for London, out 28 Days.

Captain Adamſon, from Barbados, on the 25th of laſt Month, in Lat. 35, Long. 73:56, ſpoke the Brig Jenny, Captain Glaſs, from Barbados for Virginia, 36 Days out, who had met with a Gale of Wind, in which he loſt his Fore and Maintop-maſts, carried away the Head of his Foremaſt, had his Boat ſtove, and ſuffered much Damage in his Sails; he was alſo in great Want of Bread, which Captain Adamſon ſupplied.

Captain Pearce, from the Grenades, on the 22d of April, in Lat. 30:22, Long. 68:45, ſpoke a Schooner from Nevis for Virginia, but being in a Gale of Wind, he did not learn further; 25th, in Lat. 34, Long. 71:35, ſpoke a Sloop from St. Croix for Rhode-Iſland, 18 Days out; and on the 28th, in Lat. 36:41, Long. 73:21, he ſpoke a Sloop from New-York for Glaſgow.

Captain Montgomery, from Londonderry, on the 31ſt of March, in Lat. 42, Long. 39, ſpoke a Snow, Captain Read, from North-Carolina for London, all well; on the 7th of April, in Lat 36:49, Lon. 46, ſpoke a Ship, Captain White, from London for New-York, out 37 Days; 25th, in Lat. 35, Long. 59:30, ſpoke a Brig, from Rhode-Iſland for Barbados, out 12 Days; 28th, in Lat. 37:16, Long. 69:44, ſpoke a Brig, Captain Huſton, from Virginia for Whitehaven, 4 Days out; and on the 1ſt Inſtant, nearly on Soundings, he ſpoke a Brig, from St. Croix for Rhode-Iſland.

Captain Lancaſter, from Barbados, on the 18th ult. in Lat. 18:23, Long. 61, ſpoke a Snow, Captain M'Intoſh, from South-Carolina for St. Chriſtophers, all well.

On the Firſt Inſtant, the following Gentlemen were choſen Managers and Treaſurer to the PENNSYLVANIA HOSPITAL, *for the enſuing Year, viz.*

MANAGERS. John Reynell, Iſrael Pemberton, James Pemberton, Iſaac Jones, Samuel Rhoads, Joſeph Richardſon, Jacob Lewis, Iſaac Greenleaſe, Daniel Roberdeau, John Gibſon, John Nixon, and Joſeph Morris.

TREASURER. Thomas Wharton.

Monday laſt, being the Day appointed by Law for the annual Meeting of "the Corporation of Contributors to the Relief and Employment of the Poor, in the City of Philadelphia," the following Gentlemen were elected Managers, and Treaſurer, of that truly public Spirited Inſtitution, to ſerve the enſuing Year, viz.

MANAGERS. *Joſeph Fox, Thomas Say, Luke Morris, John Drinker, junior, George Roberts, Jacob Shoemaker, jun. Samuel Miles, James Logan, Benjamin Morgan, Thomas Weſt, Samuel Morton,* and *Stephen Collins.*

TREASURER. *Henry Drinker.*

From Deerfield we learn, that ſome Time ago a Fire broke out in a Houſe there, which entirely conſumed the ſame; and two Children in Bed were burnt to Death in each others Arms.

ARRIVALS.

From Philadelphia. Captains Martin, Fearns and Tillet, at the Grenades.

☞ There will be a PUBLIC EXAMINATION of Candidates for Degrees in the Arts, at the College, To-morrow; to begin at Nine o'Clock.

*** Dr. KUHN's Courſe of BOTANY will begin To-morrow Evening, at Six o'Clock.

*** *For Extracts from a Law for paving and cleanſing the Streets of Philadelphia, &c. and three Letters from Governor Bernard to the Earl of Hillſborough, ſee the Supplement.*

CUSTOM-HOUSE, *Philadelphia*, INWARD ENTRIES.

Brig Mansfield, S. Harvey, and Brig Pallas, J. Montgomery, from Liſbon. Brig Matty, R. Pitt, Bermuda. Sloop Eſther, J. Matthie, St. Ubes. Brig Jenny, A. Golly, Jamaica, Brig Sally, J. Brown, Brig Abigail, J. Guitton, Sloop William's Relief, W. Place, Schooner Barbados, J. Barry, Sloop Exchange, H. Adamſon, Brig Jane and Sarah, J. Lancaſter, Barbados. Brig Harmony, T. Rodgers, Montſerrat. Sloop Hannah, W. Gooding, Falmouth. Schooner Peggy, J. Huffington, North-Carolina. Sloop Marlborough, J. Richards, Schooner Ranger, W. B. Bunting, Schooner Rebecca, J. Holden, Sloop Rachel, S. Packer, Virginia, Ship Newry Packet, J. Montgomery, Ship Elizabeth, D. Brown, Londonderry. Brig Speedwell, S. Davidſon, Brig Elizabeth, G. Pearce, Grenades. Sloop Hunter, S. Crawford, St. Croix. Sloop Alice, B. Newbold, Tortola. Brig Paragon, S. Smith, Sloop Polly, J. Higgs, St. Vincent. Schooner Sally, J. Houghton, St. Euſtatia. Sloop Sally, J. Blewer, South-Carolina. Schooner Lovely Laſs, D. Badger, Maryland. Ship Newry's Aſſiſtance, W. Chevers, Newry. Snow Anna, J. Ruſſell, from Briſtol.

OUTWARDS. Ship Joſeph, J. Crew, for Newfoundland. Sloop Three Friends, N. Cooper, Antigua. Snow New Molly, W. Kerlin, Brig Nancy, W. Adamſon, Liſbon. Sloop America, J. Gorham, Boſton. Brig Elizabeth and Mary, J. Thompſon, Cork. Brig James, J. Johnſon, and Ship Dragon, T. Read, St. Kitts. Sloop Nancy, W. Marſhall, Barbados. Snow Sally, H. Robinſon, Jamaica. Schooner Cat, G. Atkinſon, for Bermuda.

CLEARED. Brig Dolphin, G. Stevenſon, and Snow Minerva, M. Rankin, to Madeira. Ship Crawford, C. Smith, Cadiz. Ship Unity, E. Story, Dublin. Brig Molly, J. Lockton, St. Kitts. Schooner Polly, G. Houſton, Jamaica. Schooner Sally, S. Dalling, Grenades. Sloop Rennis, E. Higgins, Maryland. Brig Nancy, J. Stephen, Dominica. Sloop America, J. Gorham, to Boſton.

IF the Gentleman, who ſent a Letter, under Cover to me, dated Bucks County, April 21, and ſigned, A Friend to all Mankind, will apply to me in Perſon, I am impowered to give him all the Satisfaction he can deſire. THOMAS GORDON. ¶

G. BARTRAM, and P. SHIRAS,

Have brought up to their ſtore, at Mountholly,

A LARGE and general aſſortment of European, Eaſt and Weſt-India GOODS, which were purchaſed on the beſt terms; therefore are determined to ſupply the town and country lower than has been done there for many years paſt, and purpoſes to ſell for ready money, or country produce, only.

N. B. The public will be made acquainted with the particulars of the Goods by another Advertiſement, in a few days time.

Imported in the laſt veſſels from London, Briſtol and Liverpool, and to be ſold by

SAMUEL PURVIANCE,

At his ſtore, in Front-ſtreet, near the Drawbridge,

AN Aſſortment of GOODS, ſuitable for the ſeaſon. As alſo Madeira Wine, of the firſt quality, 5 years old, which he will ſell by the quarter caſk, or pipe, on reaſonable terms. ¶

Philadelphia, May 10, 1769.

STRAYED from the Commons of this city, on Sunday laſt, a red milch COW, the tops of her horns ſawed off, and a rope round them. Whoever will bring her to the printers hereof, ſhall receive ONE DOLLAR for their trouble. Any perſon harbouring ſaid cow, may expect to be proſecuted.

TWENTY POUNDS Reward.

BROKE out of Reading goal, in Berks county, on Monday night laſt, Matthias Dolnick, and William Reinichen; the ſaid Dolnick is ſuppoſed to be about 27 years of age, 5 feet 10 or 11 inches high, has dark brown hair, and ſwarthy complexion, has loſt the firſt joint of the fourth finger of his right hand, is a well made likely fellow, by trade a butcher, and ſpeaks good Engliſh, having ſerved his time in Philadelphia; he may be remarkable for having, within a few years paſt, accompanied one Singeiſen on his voyage to Germany, with a Buffaloe for a ſhow; had on, when he eſcaped, a blue cloth coat and jacket, half worn leather breeches, and pale blue yarn ſtockings, with good ſhoes, and ſilver buckles. The ſaid Reinichen is ſuppoſed to be about 32 years of age, about 6 feet high, ſlim made, has a long face, red hair and beard, and ſome of the fingers of his right hand have been cruſhed, ſpeaks broken Engliſh, is a hammerman by trade, and ſervant to Mr. Henry William Steigel (who lately advertiſed him as a runaway) had on, when he eſcaped, a new felt hat, a large black and yellow ſilk handkerchief, a blue coat, with mohair buttons, and blue worſted damaſk jacket, with plain white metal buttons, made in the old German faſhion, and leather breeches. They are both natives of Germany, and have probably made towards the Jerſeys, as the ſaid Reinichen has heretofore worked at Mr. Haſſecleaver's forge. Whoever takes up and ſecures the ſaid Dolnick and Reinichen, in any of his Majeſty's goals, ſhall receive the above reward, or Ten Pounds for each, beſides reaſonable charges, paid by GEORGE NAGLE, Goaler.

April 25, 1769. ¶

WHEREAS, by an act of aſſembly of this province, paſſed the 18th of February, 1769, the following perſons, ſubſcribers hereto, are inveſted with a legal eſtate and title in the New Dutch Calviniſt church, and lot of ground thereunto belonging, ſituate on Fourth-ſtreet in this city, in truſt for the uſes and purpoſes in the ſaid act mentioned and ſpecified; notice is therefore hereby given, that the ſaid truſtees are now ready to receive any applications for the purchaſe of the aforeſaid premiſes. The building, which was deſigned for a church, is 53 feet by 82 feet; and well adapted to the intended purpoſe; the ſhell, or outſide only is compleated, ſo that the inſide may readily be made to anſwer the deſigns of the purchaſers; the lot, on which it ſtands, is 67 feet and an half by 107 feet, ſubject to a yearly groundrent of 24 l. ſterling. Any individuals, bodies politic or corporate, inclining to purchaſe the aforeſaid premiſes, are requeſted to make their propoſals before Wedneſday, the 7th of June next, at which time (if not diſpoſed of before) they will be ſold by public vendue, at the London Coffee-houſe, at 6 o' clock in the evening. ANDREW BANKSON, MOORE FURMAN, FRANCIS HOPKINSON, PETER KNIGHT, JOHN ORD. ¶

TO BE SOLD,

A TRACT of LAND in Weſt New-Jerſey, ſituate in the townſhip of Nottingham, on the ſouth ſide of Sunpink Creek, about 4 miles from Trenton, and 5 from the public landing, below the Falls, known by the name of the Bear Swamp, joining lands of Rebeccah Wright, and others, containing about 300 acres, 200 of which may be made good meadow, with a ſtream of water running through the ſame, a ſmall part of the upland cleared, the reſt well timbered. Alſo a houſe and lot on the weſt ſide of Fifth-ſtreet, two doors above Arch-ſtreet, containing in width 19 feet and an half, and in depth 50 feet, with a two ſtory kitchen, and good cellar under the whole. For further particulars, enquire of Andrew Edge, in Third-ſtreet, the corner of Church-alley.

N. B. Goods, that are ſaleable, will anſwer as well as caſh, for one half of the purchaſe money, the remainder will be made eaſy to the purchaſer, with an indiſputable title. ¶

THE Honourable the Commiſſioners of his Majeſty's Cuſtoms, obſerving that Ships and Veſſels frequently incur Forfeitures, and their Owners become ſubject to heavy Penalties, through the Miſconduct, or Negligence, of the Maſters and Seamen; and particularly by the Maſters not making true Reports of their Cargoes, which they ſometimes pretend they are not able to do, from the Manner that they take in their Loading at foreign Ports; and at other times they pretend that the Seamen take in private Ventures, and ſecrete the ſame from their Knowledge, ſo as to be landed clandeſtinely upon their Arrival, without payment of Duty.-----And ſeveral Ships and Veſſels, ſeized for the Commiſſion of Offences of this Kind, having been releaſed in Conſequence of ſuch Repreſentations from the Owners: The Commiſſioners think it neceſſary to advertiſe for the Information of all Perſons whom it may concern, that upon the Detection and Diſcovery of any ſuch Offences in future, the ſame will be proſecuted as the Law directs; ſo that it behoves the Owners to ſuppreſs the Cuſtom of ſuffering the Seamen to take in private Ventures, and alſo to admoniſh the Maſters to be punctual in taking an Account of their Cargoes, and to pay a ſtrict Regard to their Oaths in reporting the ſame, as well at the Ports of their firſt Arrival, as the Ports of Entry in North-America. *By Order of the Commiſſioners,*

RICHARD REEVE, Secretary.

Boſton, April 14, 1769.

York Town, May 5, 1769.

ON Thurſday, the 8th day of June next, will be run for over the race ground at York Town, in the county of York, and province of Pennſylvania, a ſubſcription purſe of Twenty Piſtoles, free for any horſe, mare, or gelding, that does not exceed half blood, the beſt of three heats, two miles each heat; if riſing 4 years old, to carry 8 ſtone, bridle and ſaddle included; if 5 years old, 8 ſtone 10 pounds; if ſix, 9 ſtone 6 pounds; and if aged, 10 ſtone. The time of ſtarting will be between One and Three. Every perſon that runs a horſe, mare, or gelding, for ſaid purſe, to enter the ſame with Mr. Michael Hahn of ſaid town, on the Tueſday preceding the race, paying one Piſtole entrance, or otherwiſe to pay double entrance at the poſt. The perſon who intends to run ſuch horſe, mare, or gelding, muſt produce ſufficient vouchers of the age, and alſo ſhew that the ſame does not exceed half blood. Any jockey detected in unfair behaviour, ſhall be deemed diſtanced. No leſs than four horſes to ſtart for ſaid purſe.

The entrance money to be run for by ſcrub horſes, on Saturday, the 10th of the ſaid month of June, the beſt of three one mile heats, to catch riders, and not leſs than four horſes to ſtart for the ſame, and one Dollar entrance to be paid for each of ſaid horſes. †

For CORK,

The Ship ELIZABETH,

DAVID BROWN, MASTER,

WILL certainly ſail the 20th of this Month. For Freight or Paſſage agree with ſaid Maſter on board, at Knox's Wharff, or Carſon, Barclay, and Mitchell, who have now lying at their Store, a Box of Linen, marked G. M. No. 2, imported in the Elizabeth and Mary, from Dublin; the Owner is deſired to pay the Charges, and take it away. *May 11.* §

THIRTY SHILLINGS Reward.

STRAYED, or ſtolen, from Elizabeth Furnace, Lancaſter county, on the 30th of April, two mares, both of a dark brown colour, the one about 14 years old, 13 hands high, ſhe has a ſmall white ſpot juſt above one of her eyes, paces very eaſy, and goes lively under the ſaddle; the other a colt of the firſt mentioned, about 5 years old, about the ſame height, though not ſo well ſet, branded on the near ſhoulder P S, though ſo dim, that it rather appears to be a croſs, at a little diſtance, ſhe alſo paces very eaſy. Said creatures lately came from the Jerſeys, and it is ſuppoſed they are gone that way. Whoever will bring ſaid creatures to Elizabeth Furnace, or will ſecure them, ſo that the owner may have them again, ſhall have the above reward, and all reaſonable charges, paid by Mr. Henry William Stiegel, or the owner, ADAM SHOEMAKER.

ALL perſons indebted to the eſtate of Robert Hutchiſon, late of Cheſter-Town, Kent county, Maryland, merchant, deceaſed, are requeſted immediately to pay their reſpective balances; and thoſe who have any demands againſt ſaid eſtate, are deſired to bring them in, properly atteſted, to Mr. John Bolton, merchant, in Cheſter-Town, or the Subſcriber, in Philadelphia, there being an abſolute neceſſity for a final ſettlement of every thing relating to the ſaid eſtate, on or before the firſt of June next; thoſe therefore who neglect to comply, muſt abide the conſequence. JAMES ROSE, *Adminiſtrator.* †

RUN away, on the 7th of this inſtant May, from the Subſcriber, living in Philadelphia, an Iriſh ſervant man, named Patrick Quin, a well ſet fellow, about 5 feet 6 or 7 inches high, and about 35 or 40 years of age, ſhort black hair, or old white wig, old ſnuff coloured cloth coat, old dark cloth jacket, with white metal buttons, buckſkin breeches, with ſtrings in the knees, a pair of light coloured milled ſtockings, check ſhirt, good ſhoes, braſs buckles, black handkerchief, old hat, his complexion very dark, much marked with the ſmall-pox, very much given to ſtrong liquor, and a great ſweqrer. Whoever takes up and ſecures ſaid ſervant in any of his Majeſty's goals, or brings him to his maſter in Philadelphia, ſhall have Three Pounds reward, and reaſonable charges, paid by me

¶ HUGH BOWES.

STRAYED, or ſtolen, from the Subſcriber, living in Weſt Whiteland townſhip, Cheſter county, the 26th of April, a bright bay mare, ſuppoſed to be 7 or 8 years old, a ſmall round body, black mane and tail, has a ſmall ſtar in her forehead, bob tail, branded on the near thigh P W, a natural pacer, goes very light, ſhod before, is very ſhy, and hard to catch. Whoever takes up the ſaid mare, and ſecures her, ſo that the owner may get her again, ſhall have Twenty Shillings reward; but if ſtolen, and will ſecure both mare and thief, ſo that he ſhall be brought to juſtice, Three Pounds, and reaſonable charges, paid by JOHN RIGG. §

York, April 13, 1769.

WHEREAS, I, the Subſcriber, did execute ſeveral bonds, unto a certain Jacob Myer, which bonds, bearing date on or about the 11th of June, 1762, and the ſaid Jacob Myer not performing his covenants to me, and probably never will be able; therefore, I do hereby forewarn all perſons not to take an aſſignment of the ſaid bonds, or any of them, as I ſhall diſpute the payments thereof.

§ CHRISTOPHER HOLLEBACH.

TAKEN up by the Subſcriber, living in Straban townſhip, York county, a dark bay mare, about 13 hands high, branded on the ſhoulder W, a natural pacer, with a ſmall bell on; and a two year old dark bay mare, a natural pacer, no brand nor ear mark. The owner is deſired to come and prove his property, pay charges, and take them away. DAVID BEATY. §

To be SOLD, by public VENDUE,

On Wedneſday, the 31ſt of this inſtant May, at 2 o' clock, on the premiſes, by the Subſcriber,

A VALUABLE plantation and tavern, ſituate in the townſhip of Weſt-Caln, Cheſter county, on the great road leading from Lancaſter to Philadelphia, near John Miller's, Eſq; known by the ſign of the Mariner's Compaſs; the place contains near 200 acres of land, well timbered, and a conſiderable quantity cleared; 25 acres of good well watered meadow; there is thereon, a good orchard, and a large hop-yard, good ſtone dwelling-houſe, and log kitchen, a barn, ſhed, and malt-houſe. It is now under a leaſe of 3 years, from the 1ſt of April laſt, to a careful tenant, who pays the rent well, and keeps it in good order. The whole is commodiouſly ſituated for carrying on public buſineſs. The purchaſer, paying one half ready money, may have a ſufficient title, and time to pay the other half, free from intereſt, by giving bond and ſecurity; at which time and place, due attendance will be given by me

¶ ANDREW CULBERTSON.

ABRAHAM SHELLEY,

Thread-maker, in Lombard-ſtreet, the third door above the New Market,

CONTINUES to make and ſell, for ready money, all ſorts of fine taylor's thread, houſewife and ſtocking ditto, and will engage them ſuperior to what is imported from Europe, in ſtrength, evenneſs, fineneſs, and cheapneſs; and as it will be a means of employing a great many poor people, who at this time want it, he hopes the merchants and ſhopkeepers in this city, and towns adjacent, will encourage him, by favouring him with their cuſtom, which he will always endeavour to merit. If he meets with proper encouragement, he can make all ſorts of white threads, ſuitable for the fineſt cambrick, and make them up either in the Engliſh, Scotch, Iriſh, or Dutch methods.

N. B. He buys good light half ſpangle linen yarn, and good well ſwingled flax; alſo gives out well hackled flax to good ſpinners, for which he gives ready money. ¶ 5. Tbctf.

ALL perſons indebted to the eſtate of DAVID JAMES DOVE, late of this city, Schoolmaſter, deceaſed, are deſired to make ſpeedy payment; and thoſe that have any demands againſt the ſame, to bring in their accompts (duly proved) that they may be adjuſted and paid, by ¶

BENJAMIN CONDY, and PAUL ISAAC VOTO, Executors.

Philadelphia, May 8, 1769.

To be sold by STEPHEN WATTS, living in Arch-ſtreet, near Front-ſtreet,

TWO Lots or Pieces of Land, in the Townſhip of Blockley, and County of Philadelphia.---One of them ſituate at the croſſing of the Lancaſter and Haverford Roads, about a Mile from the Corporation Ferry, over Schuylkill, containing 40 Acres of Land, chiefly cleared:----The other ſituate half a Mile further up, on the South-ſide of the Haverford Road, containing about 32 Acres of Wood-land; being bounded Weſtward by Lands belonging to the Eſtates of Charles Jenkins, and James Coultas, deceaſed. Perſons inclinable to purchaſe, will be ſhewn the Premiſes, on Application to Mr. Jonathan Humphreys, at the ſaid Ferry, or to the ſaid Stephen Watts.

N. B. The whole purchaſe Money, or any Part of it, may remain in the Purchaſer's Hands, on good Security, 4 or 5 Years; and he may depend on a clear and indiſputable Title. Tbetf.

To be LETT or SOLD, by the Subſcriber,

A TRACT of LAND, containing 100 acres (divided into lots) ſituate in Glouceſter county, Weſt New-Jerſey, bounded by lands of Daniel and William Cooper, and the river Delaware, oppoſite Market and Cheſtnut-ſtreets, in the city of Philadelphia; a plan of which is to be ſeen at the London-Coffee-houſe, at Peter Thomſon's, conveyancer, in Race-ſtreet, and at the ſubſcriber's in Arch-ſtreet.

As it is not the intention of the ſubſcriber to magnify the advantages which tenants or purchaſers of lots will have, he hopes he may be permitted to mention a few things, which muſt ſtrike, and ſhew the eligibleneſs of his plan.

He takes it for granted it is univerſally known, that the pleaſant and the profitable, have generally been choſen by the wiſeſt of men, in preference to either of them ſeparately; and though to a trading people it muſt be confeſſed that many profitable advantages may ariſe from ſituation alone, yet however men may engage themſelves in the purſuit of wealth, it ſhould be their principal care to live where delightful proſpects and wholeſome air invites them; for what will it avail to acquire all the good things of this life, if health afterwards is wanting to enjoy them. The agreeable ſituation of theſe lots, it muſt be allowed, are inviting. It may be ſaid with great juſtice, that while the air is dry and wholeſome, the proſpect on all ſides, but particularly of this city, is delightfully pleaſant. They abound with many natural advantages as well for pleaſure as for buſineſs, fiſhing and fowling; a ſoil fitted for gardening, and the raiſing of earlier fruits than Pennſylvania affords; the opportunity of purchaſing all kind of proviſions, as an addition towards houſe-keeping; the conveniency of being near the city of Philadelphia for diſtilleries, breweries, lumber yards, ſtores, and other offices, all which advantages they have, beſides many others, of being ſuitable for the buſineſs of moſt kinds of mechanics. Or ſhould gentlemen incline to become purchaſers, they may be equally well accommodated. The diverſions of fiſhing and fowling has been already mentioned, add to theſe the pleaſant amuſement of ſailing on the water in ſummer, and the certainty of having excellent roads for carriages and riding in winter, are things not to be ranked amongſt the leaſt deſirable----" Sailing and riding, ſays a great author, are profitable exerciſes; while they relax the mind, they ſtrengthen the body, and enable it to purſue induſtry with more ſpirit." Perſons, whoſe weak or ſickly ſtate of body call for proper air and relaxation, may alſo be ſuitably accommodated. If their diſorders require the drinking of mineral waters, they are at hand; while change of air through a delightful country, which phyſicians often ſucceſsfully recommend, may, from the goodneſs of the road, be uſed at all ſeaſons. As to the title and terms on which the premiſes are to be diſpoſed of, apply to JACOB COOPER.

TO BE SOLD,

SIXTEEN Lots of valuable improved meadow ground, containing two acres each lot, ſituated at the lower end of Point-no-Point, and very ſuitable for people living at the upper end of the city, the Northern Liberties, Frankford, or Germantown. Some part of the purchaſe money will be expected at ſigning the deeds, the remainder will be made eaſy to the purchaſers.

Likewiſe will be LETT on groundrent forever, with liberty to buy off (or will be ſold intirely) ſundry lots of fine high ground, fit for building on, delightfully ſituated on the bank of Delaware river, near Kenſington, fronting on the weſt ſide of a fine new ſtreet, 70 feet wide, laid out on the bank of the ſaid river. Alſo a number of water lots, on the eaſt ſide of the ſaid 70 feet ſtreet, and croſſing another ſtreet, into the river. Any perſons inclining to purchaſe or leaſe any of the above lots, are deſired to apply to WILLIAM BALL, in Philadelphia, next door to the London Coffee-houſe, where a plan of the whole may be ſeen.

The beautiful and open ſituation of theſe lots, are more eaſily ſeen on the ſpot than deſcribed; they have on the front the river Delaware and Jerſey ſhore, then turning towards the right, have a fine view of the city and harbour of Philadelphia, the extending village of Kenſington, and a fine improving landſkip round, till the eye again meets the river; is a delightful morning or evening walk; and as lots near this growing city greatly increaſe in value, theſe muſt afford a preſent pleaſure, and a conſiderable profit. Tbc. 6 W.

New-Caſtle, April 24, 1769.

NOTICE is hereby given to the owners of the marſh and cripple, ſituate on Red Lyon Creek, in New-Caſtle county, that they attend the Honourable Houſe of Aſſembly at New-Caſtle, on the 5th day of June next, to make their objections (if any they have) to the prayer of ſundry of the owners of part of ſaid cripple and marſh, to the ſaid Houſe of Aſſembly in October laſt, for clearing Red Lyon Creek, and ſundry othe requeſts contained therein, for the benefit of the owners, &c. ‡

RUN away from the ſubſcriber, living in Lower Merion, Philadelphia county, on the 26th of April laſt, an Iriſh ſervant woman, named NELLY JONES, about 24 years of age, has a great deal of hair in her head, is long faced, large breaſts, and big belly, thick arms, takes large ſteps in her walking, ſpeaks good Engliſh, and talks much: Had on, when ſhe went away, a woollen ſhort gown and petticoat, with ſome dark ſtripes, and a lincey ſtriped petticoat, two pair of yarn ſtockings, one brown, the other white, a pair of thread ſtockings, and a blue cloth cloak, with a cape to it. Whoever takes up and ſecures ſaid ſervant, ſo that her maſter may have her again, ſhall have Twenty Shillings reward, and reaſonable charges, paid by HUGH JONES.

N. B. It is ſuppoſed ſhe will change her name and clothes. †

RUN away from the ſubſcriber, living in London-grove townſhip, Cheſter county, on the 5th of this inſtant May, one JOHN CUPPLEDICK, an Engliſhman, about 5 feet 10 inches high, of a ſwarthy complexion; had on a new wool hat, a new brown nap jacket, ozenbrigs ſhirt, check trowſers, a pair of old pumps, with braſs buckles; he has an impediment in his ſpeech; he took with him a black mare and ſaddle, with a blaze in her face, lately ſhod before, and low in fleſh. Whoever takes up ſaid mare, and runaway, ſhall have a reward of Three Pounds, or for the runaway Forty Shillings, and Twenty Shillings for the mare, and reaſonable charges, paid by FRANCIS LAMBORN.

N. B. All maſters of veſſels are forbid carrying him off at their peril. ‖

York Town, May 6, 1769.

BY virtue of ſundry writs of Venditioni Exponas, on Monday, the 30th of May inſtant, at 10 of the clock in the forenoon, will be expoſed to ſale, on the premiſes, two plantations and tracts of land, contiguous to, and adjoining each other, containing 700 acres; on one of which tracts is a tan-yard, with all neceſſary buildings for that buſineſs, and a very good mill ſeat, with a never failing ſtream of water; on each tract about 100 acres cleared, with good buildings, and an orchard, 50 acres of cleared meadow, and double that quantity may be made; the land very rich, well timbered, and the meadow well watered; it is ſituate in Cumberland townſhip, York county, on the road from Bedford to Philadelphia and Baltimore, about 60 miles from the latter. Alſo a farm in the South Mountain, about 4 miles from the above, containing 200 acres, with fine range for ſtock. The aforeſaid three tracts of land are ſurveyed, and a conſiderable part of the purchaſe paid; all being ſeized and taken in execution, as the eſtate of Joſeph Morriſon, and to be ſold by GEORGE EICHELBERGER, Sheriff.

N. B. The above firſt mentioned two tracts will be ſold, ſubject to a mortgage of 600l. with intereſt, from the 1ſt of May 1764. ¶

To be ſold by Way of PUBLIC VENDUE,

ALL the bricks, and other materials, with which the ſeveral houſes, on the South-ſide of the State-Houſe ſquare, have been erected, as they now ſtand. The Purchaſer may have a reaſonable time allowed to take them away. The ſale will begin on Saturday, the 13th Day of this inſtant May, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. Attendance will be given at the Place on the ſaid Day, by the Truſtees of the State-Houſe.

To be SOLD, or LETT, for a Term of Years,

A HOUSE and plantation, containing 40 acres of land, ſituate in Warwick townſhip, Bucks county, 20 miles from Philadelphia, bounded on the Old-York road, and the Briſtol road; the houſe is ſuitable for a tavern or ſtore-keeping, there being a ſtore kept there at this time; there is on the premiſes a good ſtone houſe and kitchen, ſtore-houſe, a large ſhed, and other conveniences for carrying on the ſaid buſineſs; a good garden and orchard, and about 7 acres of meadow. Any perſon inclining to purchaſe or rent the ſaid premiſes, may know the terms, by applying to the ſubſcriber, living in Abington townſhip, Philadelphia county,

THOMAS COOPER, Tavern-keeper.

N. B. Any perſon purchaſing or renting the above premiſes, may have poſſeſſion immediately. †

To be SOLD, by the Subſcriber,

A SMALL PLANTATION, on the Paſſyunk road, three-quarters of a mile from the city, containing about ten acres of choice graſs land, all in good order; it produces abundantly of the very beſt kinds of graſs; there is on it a new brick houſe, two rooms on a floor, a pump of good water, a garden, well fenced in with cedar boards, and a large barn. The whole will be ſold together, or parcelled out into ſmall lots of 2 or 3 acres each. Any reaſonable time will be allowed for the payment of the purchaſe money. CHARLES COXE. ¶

Cheſter County, April 22, 1769.

BY Vittue of a Writ of Venditioni Exponas, to me directed, on Saturday, the 13th Day of May next, at Two o' Clock, on the Premiſes, will be ſold by Vendue, a certain Meſſuage, or Tenement, known by the Name of the Blue Ball Tavern, a licenced Houſe, upwards of 20 Years paſt, where Thomas Howell, in his Life-time dwelt, with a good Orchard, Barn, and 32 Acres, and 120 Perches of good Land, thereunto belonging; bounded by the King's Road, and another Road leading to Marcus-Hook. Alſo one other Piece of Land, lying near the aforeſaid Land, containing 17 Acres, and 55 ſquare Perches. Likewiſe one other Piece of Land, lying near the aforeſaid Place, containing about 31 Acres, bounded by Lands of Archibald Dick, the King's Road, and other Land of James Stroud; late the Eſtate of James Stroud, deceaſed; ſeized in Execution, and to be ſold by JOHN MORTON, Sheriff.

Cheſter County, April 22, 1769.

BY Virtue of a Writ of Levari Facias, to me directed, on Tueſday, the 16th Day of May next, at 3 o' Clock, on the Premiſes, will be ſold by Vendue, a certain Meſſuage, or Tenement, Plantation and Tract or Parcel of Land, thereunto belonging, ſituate in Eaſt-Town Townſhip, in Cheſter County, containing 190 Acres, more or leſs; bounded by Land, late of Benjamin Ellis, Thomas Henderſon, Thomas Harriſon, Mark Morris, and others; the Land is good, a large Quantity of good Meadow, and is capable of good Improvements; late the Eſtate of Iſaac Minſhall and Wife; ſeized in Execution, and to be ſold by JOHN MORTON, Sheriff.

Cheſter County, April 22, 1769.

BY Virtue of a Writ of Venditioni Exponas, to me directed, on Thurſday, the 18th Day of May next, at 4 o' Clock, on the Premiſes, will be ſold by Vendue, a certain Meſſuage and Plantation, and Tract or Parcel of Land, thereunto belonging, containing 187 Acres, be it more or leſs, ſituate in the Townſhip of New-London, in the County of Cheſter; bounded by Lands of Thomas M'Kean, James Reed, Nicholas Purtle, and the Widow Fury; the Land is good for Wheat; there is a good Brick Houſe, and other Buildings thereon, and orcharding, and ſome Meadow, &c. late the Eſtate of George M'Dowell; ſeized in Execution, and to be ſold by JOHN MORTON, Sheriff.

Cheſter County, April 22, 1769.

BY Virtue of a Writ to me directed, on Thurſday, the 18th Day of May next, at 12 o' Clock, on the Premiſes, will be ſold by Vendue, a certain Meſſuage or Tenement, and Piece or Parcel of Land thereunto belonging, containing 10 Acres, ſituate in the Townſhip of New-London, in the County of Cheſter; bounded by Lands of the Widow Gaddis, James Crawford, and others; late the Eſtate of Francis Forſter; ſeized in Execution, and to be ſold by JOHN MORTON, Sheriff.

Cheſter County, April 22, 1769.

BY Virtue of a Writ to me directed, on Friday, the 19th Day of May next, at 3 o'Clock, on the Premiſes, will be ſold by Vendue, a certain Meſſuage, Plantation and Tract or Parcel of Land thereunto belonging, containing 200 Acres, more or leſs, ſituate in the Townſhip of Oxford, in the County of Cheſter; bounded by Lands of Francis Motheral, Samuel M'Neal, David Fleming, and others. Alſo will be ſold at the ſame Time, Wheat and Rye in the Ground, Horſes, Cows, &c. and ſundry Houſhold Goods; all late the Eſtate and Effects of Stephen Cornelius, ſeized in Execution, and to be ſold by JOHN MORTON, Sheriff.

Cheſter, April 20, 1769.

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, on Monday, the 22d day of May next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at William Jones's tavern, in Birmingham townſhip, in the county of Cheſter, will be expoſed to ſale, a certain tract or parcel of valuable woodland, ſituate, lying and being, in Weſt-Town townſhip, in the ſaid county of Cheſter, containing about 405 acres, bounded by the road leading from Goſhen, towards Wilmington, and by lands of William Johnſton, Nathaniel Newlin, Jacob Yearſley, Joſeph Hunt, and James Hewey, formerly the eſtate of Michael Lovell, deceaſed.

JOHN MORTON, Sheriff.

N. B. It is propoſed, for the better conveniency of the neighbours, to divide the ſaid land into 3 diviſions, a plan whereof may be ſeen at Mr. Jones's in Birmingham, or at Mr. Graham's office in Cheſter.

Philadelphia, May 1, 1769.

THE Poſſeſſors of the Certificates iſſued for Money borrowed by the Managers of the Contributions for the Relief and Employment of the Poor in the City of Philadelphia, are hereby directed to bring them in immediately to HENRY DRINKER, Treaſurer, for Payment of Principal and Intereſt, as no Intereſt will be paid, accruing after the 15th Inſtant.

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public ſale, on Friday, the 12th of May, at 7 o'clock in the evening, at the houſe of John Barnhill, a certain three ſtory brick houſe, and lot of ground, ſituate on the north-ſide of Elm-ſtreet, between Second and Third-ſtreets, containing in breadth 18 feet 10 inches, and in depth 75 feet; bounded weſtward by ground late of John Pemberton, northward by Iſrael Pemberton's ground, eaſtward by John Marle's ground, and ſouthward by Elm-ſtreet aforeſaid; ſubject to a groundrent of Four Pounds Fourteen Shillings and Six-pence, Pennſylvania currency, per annum; late the eſtate of John Baker; ſeized and taken in execution by JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

BY Virtue of a Writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public Sale, on Monday, the 15th of May, at 2 o' Clock in the Afternoon, at the Houſe of Philip Dotterer, in Limerick Townſhip, a certain Plantation, or Tract of Land, ſituate in Limerick Townſhip aforeſaid, containing about 161 Acres; bounded by Land of the London Company, John Kendall, Nicholas Pannebecker, and others; with all the Buildings and Improvements thereon; alſo a certain other Tract of Land, adjoining the aforeſaid Tract, containing 90 Acres, and 100 Perches, chiefly Woodland; bounded by Lands of Oliver Pannebecker, Thomas Reeſe, John Bull, and George Good; late the Eſtate of Thomas Evans; ſeized and taken in Execution by JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

BY Virtue of a Writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public Sale, on Tueſday, the 16th of May, at 2 o' Clock in the Afternoon, at the Houſe of Thomas Dewees, at Pottſgrove, a certain frame Meſſuage, and Lot of Ground, ſituate in the Town commonly called Potts-Town, being a Corner Lot, fronting High-ſtreet and York-ſtreet, containing in Breadth 60 Feet, and in Depth 300 Feet; late the Eſtate of John Hawn; ſeized and taken in Execution by JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

N. B. At the ſame Time will alſo be ſold a Parcel of HOUSHOLD GOODS, &c.

BY Virtue of a Writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public Sale, on Tueſday, the 16th of May, at 2 o' Clock in the Afternoon, at the Houſe of Thomas Dewees, at Pottſgrove, a certain Tract or Parcel of Land, ſituate in Groſs Town, Douglaſs Townſhip, containing about 15 Acres; bounded by Lands of Frederick Wambach, and others, and the Manatawny Road, having a Log Tenement, Barn and Stables, erected thereon; late the Eſtate of Baltus Cleaver; ſeized and taken in Execution by JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

BY Virtue of a Writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public Sale, on Thurſday, the 18th of May, at 2 o' Clock in the Afternoon, on the Premiſes, a certain Meſſuage, and 3 contiguous Tracts of Land, ſituate in the Townſhip of Whitemarſh; one of them containing about 52 Acres, adjoining Lands late of Edward Farmer, and Simons; one other of the ſaid Tracts, containing about 24 Acres and a Half, adjoining Lands of William Barge, and Peter Robeſon; and the other of the ſaid Tracts, containing about 35 Acres, and 70 Perches, adjoining the aforeſaid Tract, and Land of William Dewees, Eſq; and alſo one full equal and undivided Moiety or Half Part of two contiguous Lots of Ground, at a Place called Barren-Hill, in Whitemarſh aforeſaid, containing about 6 Acres, 3 Quarters, and 30 Perches, adjoining Lands of Adam Kellar, and Jacob Coleman; likewiſe ſundry Houſhold Goods, Huſbandry Utenſils, and Stock; late the Eſtate of George Good; ſeized and taken in Execution by JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

BY Virtue of a Writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public Sale, on the 19th of May, at 7 o'Clock in the Evening, at the London Coffee-Houſe, a certain Lot, or Piece of Ground, ſituate on the Weſt Side of Second-ſtreet continued, in the Northern Liberties, containing in Breadth 20 Feet, and in Depth 230 Feet, having a two Story Brick Meſſuage, and Frame Barn, and Stables, erected thereon, bounded Eaſtward by Second-ſtreet aforeſaid, Southward by a Lot of William Coates, Weſtward by a 40 Feet Alley, and Northward by Ground of Bowyer Brooke, ſubject to a Ground-rent of 4l. Pennſylvania Currency per Annum; late the Eſtate of John Jacob; ſeized and taken in Execution by JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

N. B. The Purchaſer may have Credit for 140l. of the Purchaſe Money, giving Security, and paying Intereſt for the ſame.

BY Virtue of a Writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public Sale, on Saturday, the 20th of May, at 7 o'Clock in the Evening, at the London Coffee-Houſe, a certain Lot or Piece of Ground, ſituate on the South Side of Walnut-ſtreet, in the City of Philadelphia, containing in Breadth 24 Feet 6 Inches, or thereabouts, and in Length or Depth 220 Feet, with the Buildings and Appurtenances; bounded Southward by Edward Shippen's Ground, and Weſtward by Ground late of George Bullock deceaſed; late the Eſtate of John Hitchcock and Wife, ſeized and taken in Execution by JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

For LONDON,

The BRIGANTINE HETTY, PETER OSBORNE Commander;

Is a good Veſſel, and well accommodated for Paſſengers; has near two Thirds of her Cargoe ready, and is expected to ſail about the Tenth of this inſtant May. For Freight or Paſſage, apply to JOSHUA FISHER and SONS, THOMAS PENROSE, or ſaid Maſter on board, now lying at Hamilton's Wharff.

For CORK,

The BRIG, ELIZABETH and MARY, *JOHN THOMPSON,* MASTER,

NOW loading at Knoxe's Wharff, will ſail the 15th Inſtant. For Freight or Paſſage, agree with ſaid Maſter, or CARSAN, BARCLAY and MITCHELL. §

FIVE POUNDS Reward.

RUN away on Friday, the 7th of this inſtant April, from the ſubſcriber in Philadelphia, an apprentice lad, named ABRAHAM OUTON STURGES, by trade a taylor, about 19 years of age, of a dark viſage, and black hair, well ſet, about 5 feet 6 inches high, had on when he went away, a light coloured broadcloth coat turned, with white metal buttons on it, a ſcarlet veſt, one pair of black cloth breeches, worſted ſtockings, and white ſhirt, pinchbeck buckles in his ſhoes, a caſtor hat, almoſt new; his other clothes were a ſhort brown coat, with yellow buttons, one ſhort cloth coloured double breaſted veſt, and fuſtian breeches, new, three check ſhirts, half worn, and one pair of worſted ſtockings. Whoever ſecures ſaid apprentice in any goal, ſo as his maſter may have him again, or brings him back, ſhall receive the above reward, and reaſonable charges, paid by ¶ JOHN STILLE.

N. B. All maſters of veſſels and others are forbid to harbour or carry him off at their peril.

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EXTRACTS from an Act of Assembly of this Province, passed in February last, intituled, An ACT *for regulating, pitching, paving and cleansing the Highways, Streets, Lanes and Alleys; and for regulating, making and amending the Water Courses, and Common Sewers, within the inhabited and settled Parts of the City of Philadelphia; for raising of Money to defray the Expences thereof, and for other Purposes therein mentioned.*

AND *be it Enacted* by the Authority aforesaid, That if any Person or Persons whatsoever, shall wilfully stop up, or obstruct the Passage of the Waters of any of the Common Sewers already made, or hereafter to be made, within the said City, he or they so offending, shall forfeit and pay for every such Offence, any Sum not exceeding the Sum of *Twenty-five Pounds*.

And be it further Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That no Person or Persons whatsoever, shall cast or lay, or cause to be cast or laid, any Shavings, Ashes, Dung, or other Filth or Annoyance, on any Pavement within the said City, under the Penalty of any Sum not exceeding *Twenty Shillings*, for every such Offence; but every such Person and Persons, having such Shavings, Ashes, Dung or other Filth, shall keep the same in some other Place, until the Scavenger shall attend with his Cart to carry off the same, which he is hereby enjoined to do once in every Week, at least, *if required*, at the Door of every such Person, under the Penalty of *Five Shillings*, for every Refusal, and to take and receive the same into his Cart, and to remove the same out of the inhabited Parts of the said City, under the Penalty of *Five Shillings*, for every Neglect or Refusal: *Provided always, and be it Enacted*, That every such Person having such Mud, Dung, Ashes or other Filth, so to be carried off, shall pay to every such Scavenger, for all such Filth, and no other, as shall be occasioned by, or arise from his particular Trade, Business or Occupation, and is not incident to common House-keeping, at such Rate as shall be from Time to Time settled and ascertained by the said Commissioners, unless he, she or they, shall chuse to carry off the same at his, her or their own Expence, in another Manner.

And be it further Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That if any Person or Persons shall, after the Publication of this Act, cast or throw down, out of any Cart, Waggon, or other Carriage, any Rubbish, Dirt or Earth, in any public Street, Lane or Alley, of the City of *Philadelphia*, save only in such Parts and Places, as shall be appointed and agreed on by the said Commissioners for pitching and paving the said Streets, every such Person and Persons shall forfeit and pay, for every such Offence, the Sum of *Five Shillings*, and pay the Costs of removing the same; and if any Person or Persons, save the said Commissioners, shall destroy, remove or pull down any Bar, Chain, Rope or Fence, which the said Commissioners shall hereafter cause to be set up in or across the said Streets, Lanes or Alleys, for the Preservation of the Pavements then newly made, or to be made, every such Person who shall offend in the Premises, shall forfeit and pay the Sum of *Three Pounds*, for every such Offence.

And whereas great Complaint is made by divers Inhabitants of the City and Suburbs of *Philadelphia*, That Distillers, Soap-boilers and others, frequently discharge large Quantities of foul and stinking Liquors, the Returns from their Stills and Boiling Vessels, on the adjacent Grounds, or into the Kennels of the public Streets, Lanes or Alleys, to the great Annoyance of the Inhabitants, or by discharging the same into Wells, Vaults or Sinks, dug for that Purpose, have injured, if not totally ruined, their Neighbours Waters; and that there are a Variety of other Nuisances, in and near the said City, to the great Annoyance and Damage of the Inhabitants; to prevent which Inconveniencies and Damages, *Be it Enacted* by the Authority aforesaid, That if any Distiller, Soap-boiler or Tallow-chandler, within the said City, District of *Southwark*, or built Parts of the *Northern Liberties*, shall, after the Publication hereof, by themselves, their Agents, Journeymen or Servants, presume to discharge out of, or from any Still-house or Work-shop, foul and nauseous Liquor, of any Kind whatsoever, into or upon any adjacent Ground, or into any Well, Vault or Sink, within the said City, District or Township, every Person so offending, and being thereof legally convicted in the Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace, held for the said City or County respectively, shall for every such Offence forfeit and pay the Sum of *Twenty Pounds*.

And be it further Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That if any Distiller, Soap-boiler or Tallow-chandler, within the said City, District or Township, shall, as aforesaid, discharge any foul or nauseous Liquor from any Still-house, or Work-shop, so that such Liquor shall pass into or along any of the Streets, Lanes and Alleys of the said City, District or Township; or if any Soap-boiler or Tallow-chandler, shall keep, collect or use, or cause to be kept, collected or used, in any of the built Parts of the City, District or Township aforesaid, any stale, putrid or stinking Fat, Grease or other Matter; or if any Butcher shall keep at or near his Slaughter-house, any Garbage or Filth whatsoever, so as to annoy or offend any Neighbour, or any Person whatsoever, he, she or they, so offending, and being thereof convicted before any Justice of the said City or County respectively, shall forfeit and pay, for every such Offence, the Sum of *Thirty-five Shillings*.

And be it further Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That if any Person or Persons shall, after the Publication hereof, presume to cast, carry, draw out, or lay any dead Horse, or other dead Carcase, of Cattle, Sheep, Hog, or Dog, or any Excrement or Filth, from Vaults, Privies or Necessary Houses, and shall leave such Carcase, Carrion or Filth, without burying the same a sufficient Depth in the Ground, on any Part of the Commons of the said City, or on or near any of the Streets, Lanes, Alleys, or Highways, within the said City, District, or Township, adjoining the same, every Person or Persons, so offending, and being convicted thereof, before any Justice of the Peace, of the City or County of *Philadelphia* respectively, shall forfeit and pay for every such Offence, the Sum of *Thirty Shillings*.

And be it further Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That if any Person or Persons shall, after the Publication hereof, cast, throw, or lay, any Carcase, Carrion or Filth whatsoever, or any Dirt, Rubbish, or other Annoyance, or Obstruction whatsoever, into the public Water-course of the said City, commonly called *The Dock*, and shall thereof be convicted before any Justice of the Peace of the said City, as aforesaid, every such Offender shall, for every such Offence, forfeit and pay such Sum of Money, not exceeding *Forty Shillings*, as the said Justice, before whom such Offender shall be convicted, shall think reasonable.

And whereas, by late extraordinary Encroachments of Cellar-doors, Steps and Porches, made in the Streets of the said City, of Jut-windows, Bulks, and other Incumbrances, the said Streets are greatly obstructed; and by a Number of Spouts, or Gutters, set at the Eves of Pent-houses and other Places, in the said Streets, large Collections of Water are discharged in rainy Seasons, on Persons passing near the same; *Be it therefore further Enacted* by the Authority aforesaid, That if any Person or Persons shall hereafter make and set up, or shall cause to be made and set up, in any Street of Fifty Feet wide, or upwards, within the said City, any Porch, Cellar-door, or Step, which shall extend beyond the Distance of Four Feet Three Inches into such Street, or a proportionate Distance into any narrower Street, where the same shall be made or set up; and if any Person or Persons shall hereafter make and set up, or cause to be made and set up, any Bulk, Jut-window, or Incumbrance whatsoever, whereby the Passage of any Street shall be obstructed, or shall so place, or cause to be placed, any Spout or Gutter, whereby the Passage of any Street shall be incommoded, every Person so offending, and being legally convicted thereof, before any Justice of the Peace of the said City, shall, for every such Offence, forfeit and pay the Sum of *Thirty Shillings*, and shall forthwith remove, or cause the said Nusance to be removed.

And be it Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That the Owner or Owners of any House within the said City, having at the Publication hereof, any Porch, Cellar-door, or Step, extending into any Street beyond the Limitation aforesaid, or having fixed or fastened to such House any Bulk, Jut-window, or other Incumbrance whatsoever, shall yearly, and every Year, pay to such Person or Persons, as shall be appointed by the Commissioners for paving the Streets to receive and collect the same, such Sum or Sums of Money, as the said Commissioners and the Assessors of the said City shall assess and settle, as a full Compensation to the Public, until such Porch, Cellar-door, or Step, to him, her or them respectively belonging, shall be reduced to the Limits aforesaid, or such Bulk, Jut-window, or other Incumbrance, shall be removed or taken away; and every Owner or Owners of any House or Houses, whereunto any Spout or Gutter shall, at the Time of the Publication hereof, be so fixed and placed, that the Waters thereby discharged may incommode Persons passing the said Streets, shall, and they are hereby enjoined and required forthwith to remove, or effectually to alter and amend the same.

And be it further Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That if any Person or Persons shall hereafter set up or place any Sign, Sign-post, Board, Pole or other Device, or Thing whatsoever (except such Persons as shall keep a Public Inn for the Entertainment of Travellers, with their Horses) to denote or shew his, her or their Place of Residence, or his, her or their Occupation or Business, or the Merchandize, or Things which he, she or they, hath or have to dispose of, in any of the Streets, Lanes or Alleys of the City of *Philadelphia*, or which shall extend from his, her or their Dwelling into the said Streets, Lanes or Alleys, or if any Person or Persons (except as is before excepted) to whom any Sign, Sign-post, Board, Pole, or other Device, or Thing aforesaid, already set up and placed as aforesaid, shall permit or suffer the same to remain set up and placed in any of the said Streets, Lanes or Alleys, or to extend into the same, after the First Day of *January* next ensuing the Publication of this Act, every such Person or Persons, being thereof legally convicted before any Justice of the Peace of the said City, shall forfeit and pay the Sum of *Five Pounds*, to be paid to the said Commissioners, and by them to be applied to the paving and cleansing the said Streets; and the said Commissioners are hereby authorized, empowered and required, to take down and remove all and every such Sign, Sign-post, Board, Pole or other Device, and Thing aforesaid (except as is before excepted) which they shall find so set up and placed in the said Streets, Lanes or Alleys, or extending as aforesaid into the same, after the said First Day of *January* next ensuing. And the said Commissioners are hereby further authorized and empowered to remove, or cause to be removed, all Manner of Obstructions to the Passage through the said Streets, which they shall find remaining in the same an unnecessary Length of Time.

Provided always nevertheless, That nothing herein contained, shall be deemed, taken or construed, to prevent any Person or Persons to set up or place any such Sign, Sign-board, Pole or other Device, or Thing aforesaid, against the Walls of their several Dwellings, so that the same shall not project or extend into the said Streets, Lanes or Alleys, more than Six Inches.

Governor BERNARD'S *Letter to the Earl of* HILLSBOROUGH, *dated Boston, November 14, 1768.*

My LORD,

I COME now to consider that Part of my Orders which relates to the reforming the Bench of Justices: This is to be done by two Ways. 1. By adding new Justices to the present Bench, either by engaging Gentlemen who are already in the Commission to qualify themselves, or by granting new Commissions to fit Persons who will undertake to act. 2. By removing such Persons in the Commission, who are known to be infected with Principles of Disaffection to the constitutional Authority of Parliament. The first of these is practicable in both its Branches; the second is at present absolutely impracticable, and will remain so, while the Council make the humouring the People their chief Object.

In regard to the first, I have already made some Attempts to engage some Gentlemen now in the Commission to qualify themselves, and shall pursue it; and notwithstanding the Undertaking is very discouraging, I expect I shall have some Success. I have also made an Essay to appoint new Justices, who would engage to act, by naming one very fit Person. It was received very coolly by the Council, and upon my asking the Reason, I was told he was not popular; I replied, that if he had been, I should not have named him. As he was allowed to be in every other Respect a most unexceptionable Man, it passed unanimously; but it gave me to know what I must expect, if I proposed a Man *who was not popular*, against whom any Exception could be taken. But I shall try soon again.

As for removing Persons for their Opposition to the Authority of Parliament, by Means of a Council, the Majority of which has (indirectly at least) avowed the same Principles, and now appears to act in Concert with that Party from whence the Opposition to Parliament originated, it would be an Attempt contrary to all Rules of Policy and Prudence. It would require to be done by a public Enquiry, which would receive all the Obstruction and Embarrassment which the Chicanery of Law could invent; and if after all, full proof of Disaffection to the Authority of Parliament should be made, it would be declared not to be relevant to infer such a Censure. It would be therefore in vain to attempt to punish Disaffection to the Authority of Parliament, until the Criminality is better established than it is at present. To support this Conjecture in what Manner the Council would act in such a Proceeding, I need only refer your Lordship to their Conduct, and the Papers they have published within these two Months last past.

And yet, My Lord, I would not insinuate that we have no fit Objects for such a Censure; the Sons of Liberty have not been without Magistrates. We have seen Justices attending at Liberty Tree; one to administer an Oath to the Stamp Master, when he was obliged to swear that he would not execute his Office; another to perform the Function of Toast Master; a Third, but lately, to consult about fortifying the Town; others to make up a Procession of 45 Carriages, and 92 Persons, on the 14th of August last. All these are included in two Lists which your Lordship has, that of the 5 Selectmen who signed the Circular Letter for the Convention, of which all but the first are in the Commission, and that of the 8 Justices who signed the Refusal to Billet the Soldiers. Now if the Censure of these Proceedings should produce an Order to me to supercede the Commissions of these Gentlemen, it would be a Trial of the Power of the Governor: It seems at present that the Council would not enable me to execute such an Order.

It is a great Defect in this Government, that the King has no Power over the Commissions, which are granted in his Name, and under his Seal. He can by Order in Council disallow a Law which has passed by the Governor, Council and House of Representatives: But yet he cannot supercede a Commission, which has been granted by the Governor and Council. And yet the Council of this Province is as much out of the Controul of the King as the House of Representatives is. Wherefore it seems as reasonable that the King should be allowed to correct the Mistakes of the Governor and Council, as of the Governor, Council and House. As it is, when the Governor has once set the King's Seal to a Commission, it is for ever out of the Hands of the Crown, and the Person who has obtained it, may thenceforth defy the King, oppose his Laws, and insult his Government, and be in no Danger of losing his Commission. It is true the Governor, with the Advice of Council, can supercede him; but if he acts in a popular Cause, under which Opposition to Government finds it easy to shelter itself, the Council, who are themselves the Creatures of the People, will never join with the Governor in censuring *the Overflowings of Liberty*. It may be said, that the Governor should take care not to appoint any one whose Character is not well known. But the Governor does not personally know Half of those whom he appoints to Offices; it is not therefore in his Power to guard against Imposition, let him be ever so cautious. Besides, a Man's political Character often does not appear till he has got into an Office, and thereby held forth to the Public: Hence it is not unusual for a Person, who has distinguished himself in Political Matters, to get himself recommended to the Governor, as a Man well disposed to Government; and as soon as he has received his Commission, to declare for the Party of the Sons of Liberty. The Governor may resent the Imposition as he pleases; but can't undo what he has done. Thus the Commissions of the King, like his Cannon upon another Occasion, are turned against him.

It would serve to remedy this Abuse, and strengthen Government, if the King was enabled by Order, in his Privy Council, to supercede Commissions granted in his Name, and under his Seal, when they shall appear to be granted to improper Persons, or made Use of for improper Purposes. This must be done by Act of Parliament; and I don't see the Impropriety of such an Act; it seems to me to be a proper Power to be vested in the Crown; especially at a Time when the Crown wants to be strengthened by all legal Means in this Country. And it seems that it would be better to be done by a general Act than a partial one; for such a Power may be wanted in the Royal Governments, notwithstanding the Controul the King has over the Councils. For it is very possible, considering the Spirit which now prevails, that even a Royal Council may support a Popular Magistrate against the Interest of the Crown. And if the Colonies should prevail to have the Judges Commissions during good Behaviour, which some of them are now very earnest about, it might be proper that the King, in Council, should be empowered to judge and determine upon such Misbehaviour as would avoid the Commission.

But this will not be necessary, if the general Instructions of granting no Commissions but during Pleasure be continued and observed; nor will it be necessary that such an Act should be general: It is more wanted in this Government than in all the others together; and even here the Defect would be cured by a Royal Council.

I am, with great Respect, my Lord, your Lordship's most obedient, and most humble Servant,

FRA. BERNARD.

The Right Honourable the Earl of Hillsborough.

January 27, 1769. *A true Copy,* GEO. WHITE, *Clerk of the Papers to the* HOUSE of COMMONS.

Copy of a Letter from Governor BERNARD to the Earl of HILLSBOROUGH, dated Boston, November 30, 1768.

My LORD,

I THINK it proper to inform your Lordship, that I communicated to the Council that Part of your Lordship's Letter, No. 19, in which your Lordship signified His Majesty's gracious Reception of the Petition of the Council, which I transmitted in July last, and added, that the Petition, with my Reasoning in Support of it, would have full Consideration. Upon which Mr. Bowdoin, who has all along taken the Lead of the Council in their late extraordinary Proceedings, charged me with having misrepresented the Purpose of their Petition, by taking Advantage of an Expression of theirs, "drawing a Revenue from the Colonies," and therefrom insinuating, that their Objection lay not so much against the raising Money, as the carrying it out of the Country, and not expending it here. And to justify this, he quoted a transitory Conversation he had with me on the Day of the public Commencement at the College in July last. I told him, that if the Conversation had made such an Impression upon him, it was a Pity he had not mentioned it before, whilst my Memory could interpose in my Behalf; That at this Distance of Time, five Months, I could not recollect every trifling Conversation; for such I was assured this was from his Report of it. But I could be certain, whether I had or had not misrepresented their Petition, by inspecting my own Books. And before I looked at them, I could declare that I had not.

My Letter Books were at my Country House, where I generally write all my Letters. As soon as I got at them, I had the Letter in Question, No. 11, July 16, copied: As soon as I returned to Town, I read that Part of it, which related to this Business to three or four of the Council; and I let two of them, and the Secretary, read the whole Letter; they were greatly surprized to find it so very clear of Mr. Bowdoin's Charge; at the next Council I produced the Letter, and read the whole Passage referred to; from whence it appeared, that in mentioning the Prayer of their Petition, I used their own Words, without adding a single Word of my own; and also that the Argument I used in Behalf of the Prayer, went against Taxation in general, more than the Disposal of the Money: This appeared satisfactory to the whole Council, except Mr. Bowdoin. But he still persisting in justifying himself, mentioned something more of the Conversation referred to, which explained the whole, and shewed that what I said upon that Occasion, was entirely in Joke. This was confirmed by a Counsellor, who recollected that on that Day, being a Day of Festivity, I did joke with some of them upon their Petition, to the same Purpose as Mr. Bowdoin quoted, but in Terms that one could not have imagined could have been taken seriously, and really were quite inoffensive to every one else.

This is a very trifling Matter to trouble your Lordship with; but it it has already been the Subject of Debates in Council, and Libels in the News-papers. It would have also produced a formal Remonstrance to your Lordship, which I am told was actually prepared by the Gentleman who made the Charge, if it had not been prevented by my making Communications, which, but for saving Trouble to your Lordship, I would not have submitted to. But it will vent itself in another and more public Way; of which I shall be able to give your Lordship an Account in a few Days. Your Lordship may depend upon it, that my Informations have been, and shall be, dictated by the Spirit of Truth and Candour; but I cannot make Facts other than they are, nor can I excuse myself communicating such Observations and Reflections, as occur to me, and appear to be material to the Subject. I am, with great Respect, my Lord,

Your Lordship's most obedient, and most humble Servant,

FRA. BERNARD.

The Right Honourable the Earl of Hillsborough.

January 27, 1769. A true Copy, GEO. WHITE, Clerk of the Papers to the HOUSE of COMMONS.

Copy of a Letter from Governor BERNARD to the Earl of HILLSBOROUGH, dated Boston, December 5, 1768.

My LORD,

THE Council have been for a Week past, preparing Petitions to the two Houses of Parliament against the American Acts of Revenue, that is, as I understand, against all the Acts imposing Port Duties. They signified their Intention to me, and desired, that I would either join with them, or authorize their sitting for that Purpose. I reminded them, that I had refused to be concerned in this Business in July last, and the Impropriety of this Measure was much stronger now than then. I added, that if they would be advised by me, they would not pursue this Intention; which could do no Good, and might turn to Evil; that if the Parliament was disposed to indulge the Americans in another Repeal, there were Petitions enough before them to ground it upon; and their Petition at best would be but a Makeweight; on the other Hand, it might contain something that might give Offence, and add to the Ill-humour, which, I feared, already prevailed against this Province. But all this, and more, had no Effect: The Movers of this Business called the Council together, separately from the Governor, in the Council Chamber, according to the new Method, for which they apologized in the Petition. After several Days Meeting, the Petition was settled and approved: Upon which there was a Dispute how it should be signed, whether by every one as private Persons, as in the Address to General Gage, or by the President, in the Name of the Body; in which latter Case they must be understood to act as the Legislative Council, there being no President of the Privy Council but the Governor. However, it was resolved it should be signed in the latter Way.

As soon as I learned it was finished, I sent for Mr. Danforth, the President, and desired to see it; he went and procured it for me. I found it was signed, "in the Name, and by the Order of a Majority of the Council, S. Danforth." Mr. Danforth said he was not present when this Manner of Signing was resolved upon; and when he set his Name to it, he did not set the Word "President" after his Name; this

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WAS found, about a week ago, a GUN, that is supposed to have been stolen; it has no perceivable mark. The owner proving his property, and paying charges, may have it again, by applying to SAMUEL THOMAS, *living with Richard Palmer, in Chestnut-street, Philadelphia.* §

CAME to the plantation of the subscriber, living in London Britain township, Chester county, near Mr. Gillaspie's meeting-house, the latter end of June last, a bay MARE, branded on the near fore shoulder 3 S. The owner is desired to come, prove his property, pay charges, and take her away. ¶ ROBERT SARGENT.

STOLEN on the 28th of February last, from the subscriber, living in Milford Hundred, Cæcil county, near Little Elk, a grey gelding, with saddle and bridle; the gelding is 7 years old, a light grey, and darkest on his buttock and legs, neither brand nor ear-mark, pretty thick set, and broad behind, is long haired, and has a long head, his mane cut under the bridle, paces, trots, and hand gallops, shod before, and is about 14 hands and an half high; the saddle is half-worn, with a barred cloth, bound with blue, and had no crupper. Any person taking and securing said gelding, so that the owner may have him again, shall have Four Dollars reward, and reasonable charges, paid by ¶ JOHN MACKEY.

To be SOLD by the Subscriber, living in Dover, Kent County, on Delaware,

SUNDRY tracts or parcels of LAND, viz. One tract, containing 320 acres of land, situate in Murtherkiln Hundred, and adjoining lands belonging to Messieurs Nicholas Lockerman, George Soward, and others, all unimproved, well timbered land, great part of it is rich swamp, which may be made into choice meadow. One other tract, containing 150 acres of land, situate in Mispillion Hundred, being part of a tract of land called Diden Fields, formerly belonging to a certain John Rudolphus Bundelin, whereon is a small plantation, dwelling-house, orchard, &c. now occupied by Richard Collins; the wood land is very well timbered, and mostly low rich bottoms, very fit for making meadows, &c. One other tract, containing 98 acres, situate in said Mispillion Hundred, adjoining lands belonging to John Mastin, and others, is unimproved, well timbered land, mostly low ground, and very rich, and may be easily made into choice meadows. One other tract, containing upwards of 300 acres, part of a larger tract, called Shoemaker's Hall, situate in Murtherkiln Hundred, on the great road, about one mile below Dover, bounded on the south by that noted stream of water called Isaac's Branch, on which Col. John Vining has erected a valuable grist and saw-mill, and adjoining the land of said Col. Vining: The whole is choice wheat land, nearly half cleared, on which are two plantations, dwelling-houses, out-houses, orchards, &c. The wood land is well timbered, watered, &c. and is, from its situation, soil, &c. judged to be as valuable as any spot of equal bigness, within its neighbourhood, being also within one mile of that public landing place, commonly called the Forest Landing, and is very convenient for any public business. Any person inclining to purchase all or any part of said tracts of land, may, on paying one half the value in hand, have any reasonable time, on paying interest, for the remainder, by applying to

THOMAS NIXON.

TO BE SOLD,

Or exchanged for a house or lot of ground, in or near the city of Philadelphia,

A VERY convenient, pleasantly situate, brick house and lot, near Chester, fronting the river Delaware; it was built on purpose for a store, and has been applied to that use for many years. The house is 30 feet front, 2 stories high, a good kitchen, well of good water before the door, a garden, well boarded, and paled in, a stable for 3 or 4 horses, cow-house, hog-house, and fowl-house; a good conveniency for a carriage of any sort, with a good store for grain or salt; likewise a piece of pasture ground near the house. It would suit a sadler extraordinary well, as there is one wanted there. If sold, the purchaser may have any reasonable time to pay the money in. For terms apply to the subscriber on the premises. Likewise to be sold, a pair of likely black HORSES, well matched, and well broke, with or without a genteel PHAETON, which has been but very little used, with very handsome harness; the phaeton painted green, and neatly gilt. § WILLIAM HENDERSON.

NOTICE is hereby given, That I the Subscriber, intend to present a Petition to the Assembly of the Province of New-Jersey, at their next Sitting, in order to obtain a Law for the Owners and Possessors of the Meadows, on Little Timber Creek, in the County of Gloucester, to contribute towards the Expence of keeping up and maintaining the Dam, Bank, and Water-works, in Proportion to their Meadow, from the Hill on Masters's Plantation, to the Plantation belonging to the Heirs of Joseph Harrison, deceased, at the Mouth of said Creek; if any Person or Persons have any Objections, they are desired to appear, and make the same known. WILLIAM GERRARD. ‖

ALL persons indebted to the estate of WILLIAM RIGDEN, of the city of Philadelphia, deceased, or to the partnership of WILLIAM RIGDEN and SON, are desired to make speedy payment; and those that have any demands against the same, are desired to bring in their accompts, that they may be adjusted and paid, by

LYDIA RIGDEN, Administratrix, and ¶ WILLIAM RIGDEN, Administrator.

TO be SOLD by the subscriber, living in the township of Haverford, and county of Chester, a valuable plantation, situate in the aforesaid township, containing 241 acres of land, 100 whereof is what may be justly called good woodland, 12 acres of meadow, now made, and more may be made; there is on it a spacious stone house and kitchen, with a barn, and 2 stables, and a never failing spring near the door, 2 orchards of the best fruit, together with a variety of pear, plumb, English and American cherry trees. The said plantation is 8 miles and a half from Philadelphia, 10 from Chester, and 7 from Germantown, and within a mile of a Quaker Meeting-house, a Dutch Lutheran church, grist, fulling and saw-mills; the said premises well and conveniently watered. The terms of payment will be made easy to the purchaser; it will divide well for two tenements. For title and further intelligence, enquire on the premises of ¶ AARON COATES.

TO BE SOLD,

A VERY valuable plantation, or tract of land, situate in the county of Salem, and province of West New-Jersey, near the town of Salem aforesaid, containing about 600 acres, with good buildings, orchards, and every other thing necessary for grazing and tilling. For further particulars enquire of SAMUEL OAKFORD, on the premises; JOSEPH HART, at Port Penn; WILLIAM HEWLINGS, Esq; in Burlington; or JOHN HART, in Philadelphia.

N. B. Any time, not exceeding seven years, will be given for the payment of the purchase Money, paying interest, and giving security, if required. Tbctf.

To be SOLD, or LETT upon ground-rent,

A LOT of ground, containing in breadth 51 feet, and in depth 100 feet, situate in Second-street, next to John Dickinson's, Esq; For terms apply to SAMUEL POWELL, who has several lots in Third-street, between Walnut and Spruce streets, to lett upon ground-rent. T.b.c. 1M.

BOULTING-CLOTHS,

A fresh Assortment of superfine, fine, middling, and coarse, To be SOLD by

ROBERT and NATHANIEL LEWIS,

At their STORE, near the DRAWBRIDGE,

WHERE Millers, and Others, may be supplied, on reasonable Terms, with Cloths of the best Quality, suitable to every Branch of the Boulting Business.---And those who are unacquainted therein, may depend on having proper Directions for affixing them to the most Advantage.

They have also a few Pair of Cologne MILL-STONES, of various Dimensions, to dispose of. Tbc. 3 M.

RUN away from the subscriber, on the 10th day of the 2d Month, 1769, a likely servant woman, named Margaret Constantine; has an uncommon cast with her head when she walks; had on when she went away, a calicoe gown, linen jacket, worsted quilt, and a Leghorn hat. Whoever takes up and secures the said servant, so as her master may have her again, shall have FORTY SHILLINGS reward, paid by JOSHUA BROWN, living in Little Britain township, Lancaster county. §

NOW OPENING,

And to be SOLD by

JOHN MITCHELL,

At his Store in Front-street, between Chestnut and Market-streets,

A LARGE and neat Assortment of Spring GOODS, which he will sell on the very lowest Terms, for Cash, or the usual Credit.

CAME to the plantation of Samuel Fisher, living in Shearman's Valley, Cumberland county, a bay stalion COLT, supposed to be three years old this spring, has no brand, a few white hairs in his forehead, and taken up for trespass. The owner is desired to come, prove his property, pay charges, and take him away. ¶

To be SOLD, on CREDIT,

A PLANTATION on Little Egg-harbour, one third of which is as good meadow as any on that shore, and part of the upland well dunged; has on it a new two story house, with a barn, &c. is exceedingly well situated for fishing and fowling. Also about 25 acres of choice marsh, on Oldman's creek, ready banked in. Any person who purchases either of the said tracts of land, may have (if wanted) One Hundred Pounds cash, to help improve and stock them, and considerable time will be allowed for payment, by giving good security, and paying interest. Likewise a strong young negroe man, fit for town and country; and a likely servant lad, who has 6 years and a half to serve. For further particulars enquire of the subscriber, in Market-street, Philadelphia.

WILLIAM SITGREAVES.

N. B. Said Sitgreaves continues his vendue, for the public sale of all sorts of goods, &c. on Fridays and Saturdays, as usual, and his friends, and others, who please to favour him with their custom, may depend on his best endeavours to please them.

WHEREAS RICHARD COLLINGS, Gardener, once of the Northern Liberties, for some Years past hath not followed raising of Garden Seeds, as he formerly did, by Reason of a Removal to the Jerseys, and not having his Ground properly cultivated for that Business; he now gives public Notice, That for these last Two Years, he has taken Care to procure an Assortment of the best GARDEN SEEDS, Pease and Beans of all Sorts, and begs the Favour of his former Customers to apply to him, at his Stand, at the upper End of the Jersey Market, Philadelphia, on the North Side, where they shall be kindly used. ‡

TO BE SOLD,

A VALUABLE plantation and tavern, situate in West Caln township, Chester county, on the great road leading from Lancaster to Philadelphia, late the property of John Culbertson, Esq; deceased, known by the sign of the Mariner's Compass; the said place contains near 200 acres of good land, well timbered and watered, a sufficient quantity of upland cleared, 25 acres of well watered meadow, under good grass, a good orchard, a large hop-yard, a large paled garden, a good stone dwelling-house, 2 stories high, with a good kitchen; there is also a good barn, stables, shed, and malt-kiln; the whole now under the tenure of William Crawford; the premises being all in good repair; the purchaser paying one half of the purchase-money down, may have time to pay the other half, free from interest. Any person, or persons, inclining to purchase, may know the further particular terms, by applying to the subscriber, living in the said township.

‖5W. ANDREW CULBERTSON, acting Executor.

To be SOLD or LETT,

A PLANTATION, situate on the main branch of North East creek, in West and East Nottingham townships, Chester county, containing about 180 acres, near the half of which is patent land, whereon is a good merchant mill, a large brick and stone mill-house 30 by 60, likewise a commodious stone dwelling-house and kitchen, with a good barn and stable, upwards of 25 acres of meadow cleared, a considerable part of which is watered and good, a young orchard, and about 30 acres of plowable land. Any person inclining to purchase or rent the same, may enter on the premises in about one month after the date hereof, and may know the terms, by applying to the subscriber living on the premises, MICAJAH JAMES.

N. B. The above mill is situated on the great road leading from Lancaster, Nelson's Ferry, and Peach Bottom, to Christiana Bridge, and will suit any public business. ¶ 4 W.

February 18, 1769.

To be SOLD,

A LIKELY NEGROE WENCH, with 2 Children; one a Girl of 4 Years old, the other a Boy of 1 Year old. She is very fit and handy for Country Business. Enquire of the Printers.

WANTED immediately,

A JOURNEYMAN BLACKSMITH, who is a Proficient in his Business, particularly in the Branches belonging to Coach-making, and who can be recommended for Sobriety. Such a Personmay hear of good Encouragement, by applying to the Printers hereof.

To be SOLD, and may be entered upon the first day of Sixth Month (June) next,

A LARGE LOT of LAND, situate between Sixth and Seventh-streets, in the city of Philadelphia, near the State-house, having two fronts of 237 feet each, one on Chestnut-street, and the other on a street running east and west thro' the square. The breadth of the lot, north and south, is 151 feet. There is on it a very convenient brick dwelling-house, kitchen, stables, coach-house, and other improvements, now in the tenure of Dr. Thomas Graham. As the whole together is an airy pleasant situation for a family, the owner would choose to sell it in that manner, but if not sold so, before the above date, he proposes to divide it into a number of lots, either for sale, or to be leased on groundrent. For further information apply to JOHN SMITH, in Burlington. T.b.c.t.f.

N. B. The aforesaid premises, if not sold, or lett on groundrent, will be to be rented together at the above time.

To be SOLD by the subscriber, living in Reading-Town, Hunerdon county, West New-Jersey, the following tracts of land, viz.

THE noted and valuable PLANTATION, whereon he now lives, containing 335 acres, of which 250 acres are cleared, and a sufficient quantity of meadow, the remainder being well timbered, and the whole well watered, being pleasantly situated on the South Branch of Rariton River, with a large brick mansion house, 4 rooms on a floor, a good frame kitchen adjoining, and a cellar under the whole; a good large Dutch barn, with other necessary out houses belonging thereto, and a large bearing orchard of the best grafted fruit. Also one other very valuable large tract of land, in Sussex county, West New-Jersey, within three miles of Squire's Point Forge, containing 1000 acres, of which there are 100 acres of choice good meadow cleared, and a sufficient quantity of plough land, a dwelling-house, a good new large Dutch barn, and several barracks, with a very good bearing orchard of the best grafted fruits, &c. the above being well watered and timbered. Also one other tract of land, in Newtown, Sussex county, bounded by the foot of the Blue Mountain, where the main road crosses said Mountain, within 4 or 5 miles of Sussex Court-house, containing 431 acres, whereon are two small improvements. Also one other tract of land, bounded by lands commonly called Reading's Bottom, near Sussex Court house, containing 200 acres. Also one other tract, lying at the Head of Alamuchey, near Andover iron works, in Sussex county, containing 137 acres. Also one other tract of land, bounded by George Beaty, in Sussex, containing 214 acres. Also three other small tracts, lying between Squire's Point Forge and George Beaty's mill, being extraordinary good wood land, one containing 100 acres, one 72 acres, and the other 52 acres. Also one other tract of land, situate in Mansfield Wood-house township, near Pahatkunk, containing 341 acres. Also one other tract of land, in Morris county, near Hacket's Town, containing 218 acres, with a small improvement thereon. Also one other tract of land, in Morris county, near George Beaty's mill, containing 182 acres. Any person or persons inclining to purchase any of the aforesaid lands, may apply to William Norcross, Esq; or Mr. John Gregg, both of Amwell, or to the subscriber, who will sell any of them uncommonly cheap, and an indisputable title given.

He has also for sale, a number of Negroe men, women and children, who have had the small pox, and are capable of doing all kinds of country business. MARTIN RYERSON. ¶

To be SOLD, on reasonable terms,

A GRIST and merchant mill, with two pair of stones, one pair thereof Cullen's, and two boulting chests, with boulting gears; and also a SAW-MILL, all going by the same gears, on a very constant stream, in the township of East Bradford, Chester county, known by the name of the Valley Creek, with 50 acres of LAND, a dwelling-house, and stable; to be entered upon the first day of May next, or sooner, if required. Any person inclining to purchase, may apply to THOMAS SPACKMAN, on the said premises. †

N. B. Any person inclining for the MILL, in exchange for LAND, may have the same opportunity.

DEEDS, MORTGAGES, BONDS, WILLS, and all other Kinds of Conveyances, are carefully drawn by ROBERT LEVERS, at the Corner of Smith's Alley, opposite the Three Tun Tavern, in Chestnut-street. Whoever shall be pleased to favour him with their Business, may depend on his observing therein the utmost Accuracy, Secrecy, and Dispatch. ¶

THE MAP of the province of Pennsylvania, published by the late Mr. Nicholas Scull, notwithstanding great care and pains were taken to render it compleat, yet being an extensive work, hath been found not only imperfect, but erroneous in many parts, which were laid down from the best information he could then obtain. The subscriber, who was employed in that useful work, has had great opportunities of correcting its errors, and supplying its defects, and spent a great deal of time for that purpose. Having communicated his intentions to several ingenious gentlemen, who kindly assisted him with materials, he is induced by their advice, and the encouragement of many others, who have seen his improved map (now nearly finished) to publish the same by subscription, according to the following proposals.

First, It being objected that the large scale on which the former map was laid down, made it expensive, at the same time that it only extended a little beyond the improved parts of the province, this map is laid nown on a scale of ten miles to an inch, and will comprehend the whole extent of the province; describing the situation of all the towns, villages, and remarkable places, the courses of the roads, rivers, creeks and mountains, with great precision, on one sheet of paper, of about thirty inches in length, and about twenty inches in breadth.

Second, The map to be printed on good paper, and delivered to the subscribers at the price of Seven Shillings and Six-pence, on or before the first day of October next. The expectation he has of being soon enabled from actual surveys, and accurate observations, to lay down the back country, now lately purchased of the Indians, with great exactness (for which he is determined to exert his utmost industry) occasions the postponing his intended publication to so late a day. And in the mean time he takes this opportunity of earnestly requesting those gentlemen, who can furnish him with any draughts or observations of any part of the province, that may be serviceable to his design, to communicate the same as early as possible, and their favours shall be gratefully acknowledged. WILLIAM SCULL.

Those who are inclined to encourage this undertaking, are requested to subscribe their names with John Lukens, Esq; Surveyor General, Messieurs William and Thomas Bradford, William Goddard, Henry Miller, Hall and Sellers, James Biddle, Peter Miller, in the city of Philadelphia; Mr. John Hart, in Southwark; Mr. William Masters, in the Northern Liberties; Mr. Christopher Sower, in Germantown; George Ross, and James Ralfe, Esquires, in Lancaster; Samuel Johnston, Esq; in York-Town; Mr. Richard Tea, and Mr. James Polke, in Carlisle; Lewis Gordon, Esq; in Easton; Henry Hale Graham, Esq. in Chester; and John De Normandie, Esq; in Bristol. ¶ 4 W.

To be LETT, and entered on immediately,

THAT large and commodious brick house, and tanyard, bark and mill house, currying shop, and every thing, in good order, belonging to the tanyard, at the upper end of Front-street, known by the name of Abraham Coates's tanyard; this place would suit a butcher very well, for there is a slaughter-house on it, and they may have one or two small grass lots adjoining to it. Please to enquire of Susanna Coates, Isaac Snowden, or Emanuel Eyre. ‡

N. B. A three story brick house to be lett, next door but one to Mr. Hoffman's sugar-house, opposite Jeremiah Warder's Wharff. Enquire as above.

Salem County, February 21, 1769.

WHEREAS Thomas Hewett, of Gloucester County, and Province of West-Jersey, obtained of me, the Subscriber, two Promissary Notes, dated the First Day of October last, the one for about Six Pounds, payable the First of this Instant; the other for about Three Pounds Fifteen Shillings, payable next May; which Notes were obtained of me in a fraudulent and deceitful Manner, I not having any Consideration for them, and the said Thomas Hewett, at that Time did, and now doth, owe me Money. This is therefore to forewarn all Persons not to take an Assignment on said Notes, or either of them, as I will not pay them, they being obtained as aforesaid. ‖ HENRY HEWETT.

Salem, West New-Jersey, April 19, 1769.

TWELVE DOLLARS Reward.

ABSCONDED *from his usual Place of Abode, on the 16th Instant, a certain Doctor* THOMAS OGLE, *born in Ireland, about five Feet six or seven Inches high, pitted with the Small-Pox, is given to Liquor, and when in Drink talks much of his Skill in Physic and Surgery; has had one of his Legs broke, and commonly wears a Handkerchief about it; had on, when he went away, a half-worn Beaver Hat, Bearskin Coat, Buckskin Breeches, Worsted Stockings, and good Shoes, with Pinchbeck Buckles. He took with him a Silver Watch, a Silver Face, Maker's Name Wm. Clayton, London, No. 2450, rode a sorrel Horse, with a Blaze in his Face; and had a Couple of Boxes, with Medicines in them (like a Pedlar's Pack) and a Suit of Fustian, not made up. Whoever takes up the said Dr. Ogle, and secures him in any of his Majesty's Goals, shall receive the above Reward.* THOMAS HARTLEY, DANIEL LITHGOW, PETER AMBLER.

N. B. All Watch-Makers are desired to stop the said Watch, if offered for Sale, or otherwise. ¶

To be SOLD by
JOHN JENNINGS,
On the East Side of Second-street, between Race and Vine-streets, the following Articles, at the lowest Rates, viz.

BEST Green Tea, Bohea Ditto by the Dozen; Coffee, Chocolate, single and double refined Loaf Sugar, Muscovado Ditto by the Barrel; Rum, Melasses, Starch, Blue, Raisins, Currants; Spices of all Sorts; Mustard, Snuff, Oil, Soap, Candles, &c. &c.

Philadelphia, April 15, 1769.

RUN away from John Chirington, of this city, an Irish servant man, named JOHN CONNER, by trade a Leather Breeches Maker, about 5 feet 5 inches high, with black hair; had on when he went away, a new hat, a brown cloth coat, a blue plush jacket, check shirt, new leather breeches, thread stockings, and new shoes: Whoever takes up said servant, and secures him, so that his master may have him again, shall have Four Dollars reward, and reasonable charges, paid by me

JOHN CHIRINGTON.

N. B. All masters of vessels are forbid to carry him off at their peril.

To be SOLD by
RICHARD WALN,
At his Store in Water-street, between Arch and Race Streets,

A QUANTITY of excellent Cheshire Cheese, Burlington Gammons, Russia Sail-Cloth, a few Chests of Bohea Tea, an Assortment of European and East-India Goods, suitable for the Season, imported in the last Vessels from England. And Pennsylvania manufactured Starch, for Exportation or home Consumption, warranted good. ¶

WHEREAS I the Subscriber, in the Year 1762, gave to one William Craig, two Bonds for above One Hundred Pounds each, and some Time afterwards did give one Judgment Bond to said Craig for One Hundred Pounds; but finding since that the said Craig cannot fulfil his Engagement with me, these are therefore to forewarn all Persons from taking an Assignment of either of said Bonds, as I intend to dispute the Payment of any of them. ROBERT M'MURTRIE. ‡

A good STABLE, and commodious CARRIAGE-HOUSE in Lombard-street,
Between Second and Front-streets,
Are to be LETT on REASONABLE TERMS.
Enquire of the PRINTERS hereof.

RUN away from the subscriber, on the 9th instant, an apprentice lad, named JOHN PIMPEL, 18 years of age, by trade a Taylor, near 5 feet high, thin pale face, and short black hair; had on, when he went away, a brown coat, with white washed buttons, blue lining, a waistcoat of green nap, the nap wore off, so that it resembles green cloth, a blue pair of cloth breeches, black worsted stockings, a middling good pair of shoes, with brass buckles, a white shirt, and a fine new hat, of John Duncan's make. Whoever takes up the said John Pimpel, or secures him in any of his Majesty's goals, so that his master may have him again, shall have Ten Shillings reward, and reasonable charges, paid by me ¶

ANTHONY GROVE, Taylor.

N. B. He was born in this country, of Dutch parents, talks very quick, and speaks both Dutch and English very well, but stutters a little.

April 25, 1769.

THREE POUNDS Reward.

LOST on Tuesday Afternoon, supposed on the Middle Ferry Road, a double cased Pinchbeck Watch, engraved flowered Case, opens in a very particular Manner, Maker's Name GRANTHAM, London, No. (supposed to be) 2395, a Steel studded Chain, Steel Watch Key, and a small Steel Pocket Book Key, a white Cornelian Seal set in Gold, Cypher EC, Crest above the Cypher a Dog's Head, a red Cornelian Seal set in Gold, with a Coat of Arms engraved, a small Locket, with Hair in it. Whoever has found the same, and will bring it to the Printers, shall have the above Reward, or if any Watchmaker, Vendue Master, Silversmith, or any other Person whatever, will stop it, if offered for Sale, shall be entitled to the same Reward.

EIGHT DOLLARS Reward.

RUN away from the Subscriber, living near Indian River, an indented Servant Man, named PURMOTT LEE, about 6 Feet high, 25 Years of Age, and a little hard of Hearing, was born at Egg-Harbour, where it is supposed he is now, as his Wife and Father were seen travelling the Road that leads to that Place. Whoever takes up the said Servant, and brings him to John Mifflin, Merchant in Philadelphia, or to his Master at Indian River, shall receive the above Reward, from ¶ JOHN JONES.

STRAYED or stolen off the Pasture at Shippensburgh, the 3d of this instant April, a little bay MARE, near 14 Hands high, paces, shod before, bob Tail, some Saddle Marks, and had on a Bell, with a broad Collar, no Brand. Any Person returning her to the Subscriber, or to John Pollock, Tavern-keeper in Carlisle, shall receive TWENTY SHILLINGS from ¶ WILLIAM PIPER.

TWENTY SHILLINGS Reward.

RUN away, on the 15th of this instant April, from the Subscriber, living in Philadelphia, a Servant Girl, named Margaret Williams, born in England, brown Hair, fresh coloured, 5 Feet 2 or 3 Inches high: Had on, when she went away, a Pompadour coloured Calimanco Gown, 1 Halfthick blue Petticoat, 1 flowered Flannel Ditto, 1 Ozenbrigs Smock, and Apron, 1 red Flag Silk Handkerchief, 1 Silk and Cotton Ditto, black Silk Hat, blue Yarn Stockings, Leather Shoes, and Brass Buckles. Whoever takes up said Servant, and secures her, so that her Master may have her again, shall have the above Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by me

EDMOND BEACH. ‖

THIS is to give notice, that there is in the hands of the Rev. *Peter Peterson Van Horne*, executor of the estate of *Peter Duffield*, deceased, a bond of 100l. which was given in part of payment for a tract of land, containing 501 acres; which said land was warranted to me, the Subscriber, by said *Peter Duffield*, deceased, against all manner of persons, claiming any right thereto. And whereas one *James Haldane*, did commence a suit, endeavouring to recover part of said tract, and is now upon trial.---Therefore, this is to forewarn all persons from taking an assignment of said bond; for I will not pay it, unless compelled thereto by law.

SAMUEL SWIFT. ¶

JERUSALEM,

A VIEW of that ancient city (being a work of 7 years, made in Germantown, according to the history of Josephus, and has given satisfaction to numbers of people) is to be seen at the house of Thomas Preston, opposite the New Bridge, on Germantown road, at One Shilling for grown persons, and Six-pence for children. It is a curious piece of statuary, representing Jerusalem, the temple of Solomon, his royal throne, all the noted houses, hills and towers; and also the sufferings of our Saviour from the garden of Gethsemane to the hill of Golgotha, in the most natural manner. It may be seen every afternoon, from 2 till 9 o' clock at night. §

TO BE SOLD,

A LIKELY HEALTHY NEGROE MAN, 25 years of age; has had the small-pox and measles, understands the taking care of horses, or any kind of work common in town: He is sober and honest, but is too fond of company for the family he is in. The price is EIGHTY POUNDS. Enquire of the PRINTERS hereof. ¶

THREE POUNDS Reward.

STOLEN out of the subscriber's stable, living in Leacock township, Lancaster county, on the night of the 13th of April inst. a bay MARE, about 14 hands high, a natural pacer, neither brand nor ear mark, a star in her forehead, her mane trimmed, not shod, of a good carriage and courage. Whoever secures said MARE, so as the owner may have her again, shall have the above reward, paid by JACOB STONER. ¶

RUN away the 28th of March last, at Night, from the Subscribers, living on Kent-Island, Queen-Anne's County, Maryland, two Convict Servant Men, viz.

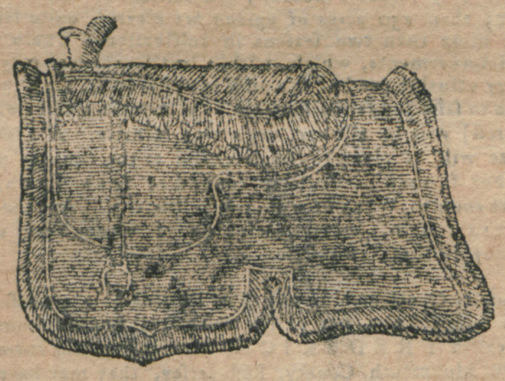
EDWARD PONTING, born in Bristol, about 25 Years of Age, 5 Feet 6 or 7 Inches high, has a pert impudent Look, thin Visage, with brown curled Hair, is by Trade a Shoemaker, and has some blue Marks on the upper Part of his Hands, near the Thumbs, which are unknown: Had on, when he went away, an old Bloom coloured Wilton Coat, spotted Flannel Jacket, a Pair of half-worn Leather Breeches, old blue ribbed Stockings, old Shoes, with plated Buckles, half-worn Castor Hat, and a Check Shirt.

EVAN DAVIS, born in Wales, or on the Borders thereof, about 30 Years of Age, 5 Feet 9 or 10 Inches high, a well set Fellow, round Visage, a short Nose, which turns up at the End, sandy Complexion, and has short curled or frizzled Hair; he speaks pretty good English, but a little in the Welsh Dialect; and has been bred to Plantation Business: Had on, and took with him, when he went away, two short Jackets, the uppermost double breasted, of blue coarse Cloth, with white Metal Buttons, the other yellowish striped Flannel, or Swanskin, a Pair of blue Plush Breeches, much worn, and mended on the Knees with blue Cloth, two Pair of Stockings, the one blue Yarn, the other white Yarn, or Cotton, a good Pair of Shoes, with broad Brass Buckles, an Ozenbrigs Shirt, and a Felt Hat, almost new.

Both the above Servants were imported into the Province of Maryland, last November, in the Ship Randolph, Captan Price.

Whoever takes up and secures the said Convicts, so that their Masters may get them again, shall receive, for each, FIFTY SHILLINGS, and reasonable Charges besides, if brought home, paid by JONATHAN ROBERTS,
¶ 6 W. SAMUEL BLUNT.

N. B. It is likely they may have forged Passes, or Discharges, as PONTING can write, though very indifferently.



JOHN YOUNG, senior, Sadler,
In Second-street, opposite the Baptist Meeting, and next door to Mr. Alexander Huston's, makes in the best and most fashionable manner, and sells at the lowest rates;

GENTLEMENS English hunting full welted and plain hogskin, buckskin and neats leather seated saddles, Ladies velvet, buckskin seated, plush and cloth hunting side ditto, fringed, laced and bound with leather, demi ditto, common ditto, demi peaks, half ditto, race ditto, Scotch burrs, breasted saddles, king's and common hunting ditto, carrying or pack ditto, housings and saddle cloths of every kind, fringed, laced or bound, portmanteaus, saddle and pistol bags.

All kinds of cart gears, such as collars, blind-halters, coilers, &c. Leather jockey caps, fire buckets, &c. Bridles of every kind, boot garters.

He has likewise a quantity of English riveted square cantle trees, hunting side ditto, curry and mane combs, large and small spunges, two and four horse thongs, for coach whips; also an assortment of sadlery ware, which he retails for CASH only.

N. B. Said YOUNG has a very large and neat assortment of the above SADLERY now on hand; he makes a considerable abatement to country store-keepers, masters of vessels, shallop-men or others, who take a quantity to sell again.

As he is determined to procure the best of stuff, he hopes to give satisfaction to those who please to employ him. ¶

RUN away last night, from the subscriber, living in Upper Salford township, Philadelphia county, an Irish servant lad, named JAMES WALL, about 16 years of age, about 5 feet high, but slim, and small faced; he has black curled hair, bushy on the top of his head; had on, when he went away, an old hat, a grey nap jacket, and swanskin under ditto, old patched buckskin breeches, white yarn stockings, with holes, old shoes, and white linen shirt. Whoever takes up the said servant, and brings him to Mr. Lewis Farmer, Tavernkeeper, at the sign of the Buck, in Second-street, Philadelphia; or to the Widow Gerhard, in Franconia township, or to any other Tavernkeeper, and gives notice thereof, so that his master may have him again, shall have Forty Shillings reward, and reasonable charges, paid by me HENRY DIETZ. April 17, 1769. ¶

THESE are to give Notice, That a Number of the Inhabitants, on both Sides of great Timber Creek, in the County of Gloucester, intend to present a Petition to the General Assembly of New-Jersey, at the next Sessions, praying Leave, that a Bill may be brought in, to build a Bridge over said Creek, to and from the Lands late George Marple's, and Samuel Clements, deceased, to be so constructed as not to interrupt the Navigation. *New-Jersey, April 4, 1769.*

WHEREAS JOHN TRAPNALL illegally obtained a note of me, for the payment of Five Pounds, in May, 1769; I do hereby forewarn all persons not to take an assignment on said note, as I intend not to pay it until compelled by law. THOMAS LENNON.

A man that understands distilling of CORDIALS, &c. may hear of employment, by applying to the PRINTERS hereof. ¶

BOULTING CLOTHS, of the best sort, superfine, fine, middling, and coarse, to be sold by
DANIEL WILLIAMS,
At his house, in Chestnut-street, between Fourth-street, and the State-House, and at his STORE on the west side of Front-street, about half-way between the London Coffee-House, and Chestnut-street;

WHERE Millers, and others, who are not skilled in chusing boulting cloths, may depend on being supplied with the best cloths, suitable for every branch of the Boulting Business, with directions for affixing and using the same, if desired, as he has had long experience in MILLERING and BOULTING CLOTHS. Tbc3M.

Just imported by
HUGH DONNALDSON,
And to be sold cheap for cash, or short credit, at his store in Walnut-street,

BROAD cloths, bearskins, beaver coating, kerseys, plains, halfthicks, blue duffils, naps and frizes, red striped duffil, blankets, blue, green and mottled rugs, red, white and striped flannels, embossed serges and shaloons, black, blue and red shag, cotton velvets, velverets, British ozenbrigs, 7 eights and yd. wide Irish linen, 9 eights and 5 qr. sheeting, a great variety of 11 nail, 3 qr. 7 eights, yd. wide, and yd. and 3 eights cotton and linen checks and stripes, check handkerchiefs, cotton holland, 6 and 7 qr. bed bunts, ticken, white incle, striped tapes, worsted bindings, nonsopretties, brown, white and coloured threads, needles and pins, basket buttons and twist, variety of cutlery and Birmingham ware, 3, 10 and 20 d. nails, in whole and half casks.

Tbc. 3 M.

TO BE SOLD

ABOUT ten acres of Land, situate in Brandywine Hundred, New-Castle County, on Delaware, about two miles from Marcus-Hook, fronting the road leading to Concord, five acres thereof may be made good meadow, having a good stream of water running through it, and two good springs; it is well situated for a fuller, and a fulling-mill may be easily erected, a dam and race being already made; one of that trade is much wanted in the neighbourhood, and as it has the advantage of being near Delaware, it is thought it would never be without plenty of work, as they labour under great inconvenience of having no fulling-mill any where opposite in the Jerseys. Any person inclining to purchase the said place, may know the terms, by applying to DAVID HOULTON, living in Southwark, near Philadelphia, or to BENJAMIN FORD, near the premises. ¶

N. B. The payment will be made easy to the purchaser.

Chester, March 7, 1769.

THIS day was committed to my custody, as a runaway servant, a man who calls himself JOHN MONDAY, and says he is a servant to John Read, of Upper Paxton, near Juniata, in Cumberland county. His master is desired to come pay charges, and take him away, or he will be discharged in six weeks from the date hereof, according to law, by

† *JOSEPH THOMAS, Goaler.*

WANTED IMMEDIATELY,

A FULLER, who understands fulling, dying, shearing, and pressing of cloth, in all its branches; and one who can be well recommended for care and trust. Such a person will meet with extraordinary encouragement, by applying to GEORGE BROWN, in Kennet township, Chester county. A single person will suit best, but there will be no Objection to one that has a family. ¶

To be SOLD by the Subscriber, living in Kennet Township, Chester County,

ONE undivided Fourth Part of a certain Plantation, containing 270 Acres of good Land, whereon a Quantity of good Meadow may be made, and well watered, having a large Stream of Water running through the same, with a good sufficient Deed for said Land, situate in the Township of Menallen, and County of York; bounded by Lands of George Wilson, John Hammond, Thomas Wilson, William Hutton, and others. For Terms apply to the Subscriber, JOSEPH WEST.

N. B. Another Fourth Part of said Plantation may be had on a Lease, for a Term of Years, if it best suits the Purchaser, or any other Person. ¶

Maryland, Piscataway, December 14, 1768.

RUN away from the subscriber, an indented servant man, named THOMAS CORESHILL, by trade a Stone-mason, is well set, turns his toes in when he walks, and is about 5 feet 8 inches high; had on, when he went away, an ozenbrigs shirt, a new light coloured kersey coat and breeches, with flat metal buttons, and an old beaver hat. Whoever secures said Coreshill, so that he may be had again, shall receive the reward of Three Pounds, if taken out of the province, and Twenty Shillings, if taken within, besides the allowance by law. WILLIAM DIGGES.

N. B. It is supposed that this servant will make for York or Lancaster. tbc6W.

ROBERT MONTGOMERY,

ONCE more desires all persons indebted to him, either on bond, bill, note or book account, to make immediate payment, to prevent further trouble and expence.

To be LETT, and may be entered on about the first of May next, the dwelling-house of the SUBSCRIBER, in Front-street. For further particulars apply to

ROBERT MONTGOMERY.

JAMES REYNOLDS,
CARVER and GILDER,

BEGS leave to inform his friends in particular, and the public in general, that he has removed his LOOKING GLASS STORE, from between Walnut and Chestnut-streets, in Front-street, to nearly opposite the London Coffee-House, in Front-street; where he has for sale, at very low prices, A large and general assortment of looking-glasses, in carved and white, carved and gold, carved mahogany pier, sconce, pediment, mock pediment, ornamented, or raffled frames, box, swinging or dressing glasses, paper hangings, &c. &c. &c. tf.

N. B. Old glasses new framed and quicksilvered.

SAMUEL HOWELL,
In Water-street, near Chestnut-street, has for sale,

MADEIRA WINE, of the first quality, 5 years old last vintage; London loaf sugar, B. Benton's London porter, in hampers; Bristol bottled beer; Cheshire and Gloucester cheese; crates of sheet glass, sheathing paper, &c.

All persons indebted to Samuel Howell, by bond, or otherwise, are desired to pay, to prevent cost. Tbc.

TO BE SOLD,

A VALUABLE plantation, and tract of about 100 acres of land, situate in Cheltenham township, in the county of Philadelphia, whereon is erected a good stone dwelling-house, with 4 rooms on a floor, a grist-mill, with 2 pair of stones, the boulting and hoisting works all go by water, and well situated for merchant or country work; about 25 acres of said land is extraordinary good meadow, and about the same quantity well timbered, the remainder is good arable land; there are also on the premises, a good barn, out-houses, and a valuable orchard. Any person inclining to purchase the premises, may apply to the subscribers, and know the title and terms of sale. ¶ RICHARD MARTIN, JOHN MARTIN.

was a poor Excuse, but ſerves to ſhew, how little free Agency there is in a Buſineſs of this Kind. He alſo added, that if he could get the Council to meet again, he was in Hopes they would undo this Buſineſs; for ſeveral of them had ſignified their Diſapprobation of it. But I had no ſuch Expectations; for the Council is brought under ſuch an Awe of their Conſtituents, by the frequent Removals of the Friends of Government, that there is very little Exerciſe for private Judgment in popular Queſtions.

If by the Majority of the Council, in whoſe Name the Preſident is to ſign, they mean a Majority of the whole Board, I cannot conceive that all the Perſons who met at the ſeveral Meetings upon this Occaſion put together, amount to the Number 12, which is the Majority of the Whole. But if they mean a Majority of thoſe preſent when the Reſolution was formed, it may fall very ſhort of the Majority of the Body: Four Perſons will make a Majority of a Quorum of the Council. In the preſent Caſe, I doubt whether the Number of thoſe who really approved of this Meaſure was much more; for it ſeemed to be rather ſubmitted to, than joined in. As for the Petition itſelf, it is very lengthy, being ſix Folio Pages, but has nothing new in it, nothing, I believe, but what is to be found among the Writings of the Houſe of Repreſentatives. It differs from the Petition to the King in this; the latter carefully avoids all Claim of Right againſt the Parliament; this is not ſo clear of it; it has indeed no poſitive Aſſertions of Right, but ſeveral Intimations of it, too plain to be unnoticed. This Account is taken from only once reading it, and therefore may not be free from Miſtakes, tho' I believe it is right as to the general Idea.

I am, with great Reſpect, my Lord,
Your Lordſhip's moſt obedient,
and moſt humble Servant.
FRA. BERNARD.

The Right Honourable
the Earl of Hillſborough.

P. S. Since I wrote the foregoing, I have got a Liſt of the Gentlemen who paſſed upon the Petition; Mr. Danforth, Royal, Erving, Bowdoin, Hubbard, Tyler, Pitts, Dexter. Upon November the 30th they agreed upon the Petition to the Lords and Commons to be ſigned by Mr. Danforth as Preſident. Of theſe eight, I have been informed of two who wanted to have it undone, and I can fix upon another, who, I dare ſay, acquieſced, rather than concurred.

January 27, 1769. A true Copy. GEO. WHITE,
Clerk of the Papers to the HOUSE of COMMONS.

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public ſale, on Tueſday, the 23d of May, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at the houſe of John Bartolet, in Buſſeltown, a certain meſſuage, and plantation or tract of land, ſituate partly in Lower Dublin, and partly in Abington townſhip, containing 65 acres, or thereabouts, bounded by lands of Thomas Bourne, William Watkins, and others; late the eſtate of Iſaac Taylor; ſeized and taken in execution by

JOSEPH REDMAM, Sheriff.

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public ſale, on Tueſday, the 23d of May, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at the houſe of John Bartolet, in Buſſeltown, a certain ſtone meſſuage, and lot or piece of ground, ſituate in Smithfield, in the Manor of Moreland, containing one acre and a half, and 20 ſquare perches, be the ſame more or leſs; bounded by the Southampton road, and lands of John Adkins, Abel Walton, and others; late the eſtate of John Dorland and wife; ſeized and taken in execution by

JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public ſale, on Thurſday, the 25th of May, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, on the premiſes, a certain plantation, or tract of land, ſituate in the townſhip of Plymouth, containing about 18 acres, and 24 perches; bounded by lands of Alexander Liſle, Barnabas Coulſton, John Coulſton, and the Great Manatawny road, having a two ſtory ſtone dwelling-houſe, ſtone barn, ſtables, &c. erected thereon; late the eſtate of William Lawrence; ſeized and taken in execution by JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public ſale, on Friday, the 26th of May, at the London Coffee-Houſe, at 7 o'clock in the evening, a certain brick meſſuage, and lot of ground, ſituate on the eaſt ſide of Third-ſtreet, in the city of Philadelphia, containing in breadth 19 feet, and in depth 140 feet; bounded weſtward by Third-ſtreet aforeſaid, northward by John Clifton's ground, eaſtward by the next deſcribed lot, and ſouthward by ground of John Thornhill, and others. Alſo a certain wooden ſhop, and lot of ground, ſituate the diſtance of 140 feet eaſtward from the eaſt ſide of Third-ſtreet, containing in breadth 55 feet, and in depth 55 feet; bounded northward by ground late of William Branſon, eaſtward with back lots, ſouthward with a lot of Thomas Griffith, and weſtward with the aforeſaid lot; late the eſtate of Henry Clifton; ſeized and taken in execution by

JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public ſale, on Monday, the 29th of May, at 7 o' clock in the evening, at the houſe of the widow Williams, in Front-ſtreet, a certain meſſuage, and lot of ground, ſituate on the ſouth ſide of Plumb-ſtreet, in the diſtrict of Southwark, containing in breadth 70 feet, and in depth 90 feet; bounded northward by Plumb-ſtreet aforeſaid, ſouthward by Brockden's ground, and eaſtward and weſtward by David Chambers's ground; late the eſtate of Thomas Patterſon; ſeized and taken in execution by

JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

BY virtue of ſeveral writs to me directed, on the 19th day of May next, at the late dwelling-houſe of George May, in the townſhip of Great Egg-Harbour, will be expoſed to ſale, by public vendue, between the hours of 12 and 5 in the afternoon of ſaid day, the following deſcribed tracts and lots of land, meadow, and cedar ſwamp, viz. No. 1, contains 127 acres, on which is a good two ſtory frame dwelling-houſe and barn, with about 20 acres of cleared land, a griſt-mill and ſaw-mill, in good repair, on a large ſtream of water, ſituate on the northerly ſide of Great Egg-Harbour river, near the head of the tide; within a quarter of a mile from ſaid mills is a very convenient landing, where ſea veſſels can go and come full freighted. No. 2, is 100 acres of timber land, and includes the abovementioned landing. No. 3, is 101 acres of cedar ſwamp, about a mile from the above mills, lying on Badcock's creek, which is full of timber. No. 4, is 50 acres of marſh, on the oppoſite ſide of the river to the firſt lot, which is now banked, and makes good meadow. No. 5, is 50 acres of land and marſh, on the ſouth weſt ſide of the river, at a place called the Upper Pine Hammock. No. 6, is 50 acres of cedar ſwamp, on Gravelly Run, about 3 miles from the ſaid mills. No. 7, is 46 acres of land, and cedar ſwamp, lying on the ſaid river, including a landing, called Colt's Landing. Alſo 125 acres of cedar ſwamp, in two tracts, a few miles from ſaid mills. Throughout the above tracts of land, in many places, is found large quantities of iron ore, and the ſtream on which the mills are built, being ſufficient, it is thought a valuable iron work might be erected there, and its ſituation would render the exportation of it very convenient. Any perſon inclining to purchaſe, may view the premiſes, by applying to Charles Steelman, or Samuel Snell, near the ſame. Credit will be given for two thirds of the purchaſe money, with paying intereſt. The whole late the real eſtate of ſaid George May; ſeized in execution, and to be ſold by SAMUEL BLACKWOOD, Sheriff.

N. B. At the ſame time will be ſold, a quantity of Weſt-Jerſey rights. Gloucester, April 27, 1769.

NOW in Cuſtody of the Subſcriber, a NEGROE Man, named Dublin, who ſays he belongs to Mr. John Patton, at Berkſhire Furnace, in Berks County. His Maſter is deſired to come, pay Charges, and take him away.

Cheſter, April 29, 1769. ¶ JOSEPH THOMAS, Goaler.

To be ſold by way of public vendue, on the firſt day of June next, on the premiſes, in the village of Artleborough, commonly called The Four Lanes End, in Bucks county,

A LOT of GROUND, containing about one quarter of an acre, on which there is a good two ſtory ſtone-houſe and kitchen, having two rooms on a floor, a good cellar under the ſame; one other houſe adjoining the kitchen, 40 feet long, and 20 wide, divided into two rooms for a ſtore-houſe and ſhop, with ſhelves in the ſame, ſufficient to hold a large quantity of goods, a large garret over the ſame, a framed chair and waggon-houſe, and ſmoak-houſe. One other lot of about 4 acres, with an orchard of upwards of 80 apple trees, a number of peach and cherry trees, a nurſery of above 1000 young apple trees, good ſtable and barrack on the ſaid lot; it is pleaſantly ſituated in a good part of the country for almoſt any public buſineſs, about 22 miles from Philadelphia, 7 from Briſtol, and 4 from Newtown; the buildings very good, and convenient for ſtore-keeping, or would ſuit a tradeſman of any kind. The conditions of payment will be made eaſy, and known at the time and place of ſale, by

‡ 4 w. JOHN THORNTON.

BY virtue of a Writ of Venditioni Exponas, on Saturday, the 20th day of May inſtant, at 10 o'clock, in the forenoon, will be expoſed to public ſale, at the houſe of Philip Graybill, Tavern-keeper, in York town, in the county of York; a griſt-mill, ſaw-mill, plantation and tract of land, with the buildings and improvements thereon, ſituate in Chanceford and Fawn townſhips, York county, adjoining lands of Thomas Grier, William Mackey, William Miller, John Buchanan, and Henry Robinſon; taken in execution, as the eſtate of Samuel Leeper, and to be ſold, by GEORGE EICHELBERGHER, Sheriff. †

IN Purſuance of an Order of the Orphan's Court, for Cheſter County, will be expoſed to Sale, by public Vendue, at Ten o' Clock, on Friday, the 12th Day of May inſt. at the late Dwelling-Houſe of John Gardner, in Weſt-Nantmell Townſhip, in the County aforeſaid, two Meſſuages or Tenements, and two Tracts or Parcels of Land, lying contiguous together, and ſituate in Weſt-Nantmell aforeſaid; one of ſaid Tracts contains 124 Acres, 148 Perches, and Allowance; and the other contains 94 Acres, 80 Perches, and Allowance; late the Eſtate of the ſaid John Gardner, deceaſed. Due Attendance will be given, and the Conditions made known, at the Time of Sale, by JAMES CRAWFORD, REBECCA CRAWFORD, and JAMES HAIR, Adminiſtrat. ¶

WHEREAS I, PETER SHOFE, of Cumberland County, Pennſylvania, gave to ALEXANDER M'NUTT two Bonds; one for Thirty-three Pounds, Six Shillings, and Eight-pence, payable the Eighth of May, 1769; the other alſo for the ſame Sum, payable the Eighth of May, 1770, in Conſideration for a Tract of Land ſold by him to me; but as he hath not fulfilled his Contract, this ſerves to forbid all Perſons from taking Aſſignments of ſaid Bonds, as I will not pay the Money, until he fulfils his Engagement.

¶ PETER SHOFE.

To be SOLD, by public VENDUE,
On the 31ſt day of May inſt.

A VERY valuable tract of LAND, called Dunkeil, lying in Baltimore county, within a few Miles of Baltimore-Town, conſiſting of 599 acres, well ſituated for the navigable rivers of Buſh and Gunpowder; the land is exceeding well timbered, and the ſoil extremely fertile, equal to any in the county; there are ſeveral bottoms, which may be eaſily made into very valuable meadow, and contain ſeveral ſtreams of water; about 250 acres of upland are cleared, quite freſh, and not more than two ſeaſons in cultivation. There are ſeveral improvements, which, with a ſmall expence, may be made very valuable, and no ſituation better adapted for a farm. The title to ſaid land is indiſputable, Six months credit (without intereſt) will be allowed, on giving ſecurity. A general warrantee will be given to the purchaſer at the time of payment. For further particulars, enquire of JOHN PACA, of Baltimore county; WILLIAM PACA, in the city of Annapolis; or WILLIAM TOD, in Philadelphia; of whom they may receive any further information.

AS ſundry Gentlemen, in and about Philadelphia, are deſirous of raiſing Colts, out of the celebrated Engliſh hunting Horſe, called FREDERICK, that is kept for covering Mares in Monmouth County, Eaſt-Jerſey, they may have an Opportunity of ſending Mares to him the 15th of May, by applying to ROBERT BAINES, at Mr. RHEA's Stable, in Church-Alley, any Time before the ſaid Date, and no Expence will attend them, but the Ferriage, and eating upon the Road, and the Mares will be returned them again, when done with the Horſe (Accidents excepted.) The Price of covering, for the Seaſon, will be Eight Dollars, and Eighteen-pence per Week Paſturage, for the Mares, to be paid at their Return; or they may have their Mares warranted to be with Foal for Five Pounds, and if they do not prove ſo, the Money will be returned again upon Honour.

THE following Officers, who ſerved in the Pennſylvania Regiment, in the Year 1764, viz. Captains Hunter, Kern, Green, Houſſegger, Lems, Hendricks, Brady, W. Piper and Bucher; Lieutenants Stewart, Wiggens, Hays, Nice, Hunſicker, Aſkey and M'Alliſter; Enſigns W. Piper, M'Meen, Morrow, Stiene and Forſter, are deſired to meet at Mr. John Harris's, in Paxton Townſhip, Lancaſter County, on the 15th Day of May inſt. in order that a Diviſion may be made of the Land granted to them by the Honourable Proprietaries, and are requeſted to be punctual in their Attendance, that the Expences attending the Survey, and other Charges, in proſecuting the Application, may be diſcharged.

TURBUTT FRANCIS, Lieut. Col.
J. P. DE HAAS, Major.
WILLIAM PLUNKETT, } Capts.
JAMES IRVINE, } Capts.
} Commiſſioners. §

Drummore Townſhip, Lancaſter County, April 10, 1769.

To be ſold by way of public vendue, at the late dwelling-houſe of John Long, Store-keeper, in Drummore townſhip, Lancaſter county, on Saturday, the 20th day of May next, at 2 o' clock in the afternoon,

A PLANTATION and TRACT of warranted LAND, containing about 226 acres, ſituate in the ſaid townſhip of Drummore, now in the poſſeſſion of John Carſon, and belonging to the ſaid John Long, who has abſented himſelf from thoſe parts, without paying his creditors; which land is ſeized by attachment, and to be ſold by the ſubſcribers, as auditors appointed by the Court of Common Pleas, held for the ſaid county; and attendance will be given for that purpoſe, by us

ISAAC SAUNDERS, GEORGE M'CULLOUGH,
¶ and THOMAS PORTER, Auditors.

THE COUNTRY SEAT late of William Coleman, Eſq; within 4 Miles of the City of Philadelphia, on the Weſt Side of Wiſſahickon Road, will be ſold by public Vendue; it contains about 12 Acres, with a Houſe of 3 Rooms on a Floor, finiſhed in a neat Manner; an Out-houſe ſuitable for a Tenant, built of Stone, with 4 Fire-places, 2 on each Floor, and a Cellar under the whole, a good Stone Chair-houſe and Stable, a handſome Garden, a thriving Orchard of good Apple Trees, and other Fruit, and a Well of excellent Water. The whole Place being under good Poſt and Rail and Palliſadoe Fence. The Sale to be on the Premiſes at 3 o'Clock on Thurſday, the 18th of May inſt. Several Years Credit will be allowed for the whole, if required, on giving ſufficient Security, and paying Intereſt.

To be ſold by public vendue, at the London Coffee-Houſe, on Wedneſday, the 17th Day of May inſt. at 5 o'Clock in the Evening, if not diſpoſed of before by private Sale,

ALL that Bank and Water Lot, ſituate between Walnut-ſtreet and the Dock, in the City of Philadelphia, known by the Name of the Burnt Buildings, containing in Breadth, North and South, 83 Feet and a Half, late the Eſtate of Jonathan Dickenſon, deceaſed. For Particulars, reſpecting the Title and Conditions of Sale, apply to WILLIAM GALE, DANIEL BENEZET, or LEWIS WEISS.

CAME to the plantation of the ſubſcriber, living in Saliſbury townſhip, Lancaſter county, on the 12th day of April inſt. a dark bay HORSE, about 6 years old; and a dark bay MARE, about 5 years old, with a ſtar in her forehead. The owner or owners are deſired to come, prove their property, pay charges, and take them away. JOSEPH COOKSON.

CAME to the plantation of the ſubſcriber, living in Saliſbury townſhip, Lancaſter county, ſome time ago, a red and white COW, giving milk. The owner is deſired to come, prove his property, pay charges, and take her away.

April 21, 1769. JOSEPH DICKENSON. §

Juſt imported in the laſt Veſſels from London, and in the Sally, Captain Spain, from Liverpool, and to be ſold by

RANDLE MITCHELL,

At his Store in Water-ſtreet, the South Side of Walnut-ſtreet, on the loweſt Terms, for ready Money, or ſhort Credit,

A GENERAL Aſſortment of EUROPEAN and INDIA GOODS, ſuitable for the Seaſon.

GILPIN and FISHER,

Having erected a new ſnuff-mill, where that article is carefully manufactured,

Choice SCOTCH SNUFF,

Of an excellent quality, may be had in any QUANTITY, of JOSHUA FISHER and SONS,

Carefully packed for land carriage or exportation, and conſiderable allowance made to thoſe who take quantities. 3 m.

WILLIAMS and ELDRIDGE,

At their ſtore in Front-ſtreet, between Cheſtnut-ſtreet and the Coffee-Houſe, have lately imported,

A NEAT aſſortment of European MERCHANDIZE, which they will ſell on the loweſt terms, for caſh, or ſhort credit. They have Yorkſhire cloths, coatings, duffils, kerſeys, halfthicks, naps, ſerges, white, red, and ſcarlet flannels, lincys, long ells, tammies, durants, common and fine ſhaloons, calimancoes, ſtarrets, dorſetteen, ſingle and double damaſks, plain and ſtriped camblets, black ruſſel, green and blue harrateen, with trimmings, rugs and blankets, hoſiery, worſted caps of ſeveral ſorts, buckram, Britiſh and German ozenbrigs, brown and white Iriſh and Ruſſia ſheeting, Engliſh and Flanders ticking, bed bunts, huckabacks, Ruſſia diaper, clouting diaper, coarſe and fine table cloths, Iriſh and German dowlas, 10 nails, 7-8ths, yard wide, and yard 3-8ths cotton and linen checks, blue and red furniture checks, 3-qr. 7-8ths, and yard wide Iriſh linens, 7-8ths and yard wide cambricks and lawns, long lawns, muſlins, an aſſortment of handkerchiefs, viz. check linen, printed, ſecterſoy, roſets, figured and ſpotted bandanoes, cotton and ſilk romals and cravats; ell wide Perſians, taffeties, mantua, ſnail, fringe, men and womens white lamb gloves and mitts, callicoes, cottons, and chints, ſilk knee garters, ſewing ſilk, coloured, ſtitching and Scotch threads, ribbons, ferrits, garters, pins, Whitechapel and common needles; an aſſortment of cutlery, and hard ware; paper, nutmegs, pepper, &c. a few burr mill-ſtones; alſo a general aſſortment of the beſt boulting cloths, to be ſold by Daniel Williams, at the ſaid ſtore, and at his houſe in Cheſtnut-ſtreet, a little below the State-houſe, as uſual. T. b. c.

TO BE LETT,

A NEAT and commodious frame HOUSE, ſituate in the Iriſh Track, about two miles from the Court-Houſe, with two gardens, incloſed with cedar poſts and boards, containing about one acre of ground, and two meadow lots, containing about five and a half acres, that bears timothy and clover; thoſe lots were well dunged laſt year, and the whole is in very good order. For further particulars apply to ROBERT MONTGOMERY.

TO BE SOLD,

A PIECE of LAND, ſituate beyond the third Mile Stone, on Frankford Road, in the Northern Liberties of Philadelphia, containing 22 Acres and a Half, where of a ſmall Part is Meadow, on which is a ſmall Tenement, and an Orchard of grafted Fruit Trees; now in the Tenure of Daniel Kuhlman. Alſo another Piece of Land, adjoining the above, containing 24 Acres and a Half. Both bounded on the back Part by Gunner's Run. And a Lot and Tenement on the Weſt Side of Second-ſtreet, in Philadelphia, near the Corner of Saſſafras-ſtreet, being 16 Feet in Front, and 100 Feet deep, to a 4 Feet Alley leading into Saſſafras-ſtreet. Thoſe who incline to purchaſe any Part of the Premiſes, may be further informed by applying to JOHN PEMBERTON in Philadelphia, or GEORGE DILLWYN in Burlington. ‡ Tbctf.

ALL perſons indebted to the eſtate of William Morgan, late of the Northern Liberties, deceaſed, are deſired to bring in their accounts that they may be adjuſted; and alſo thoſe that have any demands againſt ſaid eſtate, are deſired to bring in their demands to SARAH MORGAN, Adminiſtratrix. ¶

Philadelphia, April 19, 1769.

JOHN ORD, of this City, Merchant, having aſſigned to us, in Behalf of his Creditors, his Eſtate, both real and perſonal; Notice is hereby given to thoſe indebted to the ſaid Ord, by Bond, Book Account, or otherwiſe, immediately to pay off their reſpective Ballances; and thoſe who have any Demands on the ſaid Ord, are deſired to bring in their Accounts, to be adjuſted.

On Thurſday, the 18th of May next, at the London Coffee-houſe, at Six o'Clock in the Evening, will be ſold at public Sale, the Dwelling-houſe of the ſaid Ord, ſituate in Front-ſtreet, between Market and Cheſtnut-ſtreets. BENJAMIN CHEW,
¶ 8 W. JOHN GIBSON.

TO be ſold by private ſale, one lot of ground, with the improvements thereon, ſituate in Bordentown, Burlington county, Weſt New-Jerſey.----The ſaid lot contains one acre, and on it are erected a large two ſtory brick houſe and kitchen, a large pork houſe, ſmoke houſe, fat houſe, cooper's ſhop, barn, ſtable, chair and hay houſe.----The dwelling-houſe is ſituate in a very good part of the town for a ſtore, has a room fitted up for that uſe, and has been employed as ſuch for 18 years paſt, great part of the time with conſiderable ſucceſs. Any perſons inclinable to purchaſe, are deſired to apply to the Subſcribers for the terms of ſale.

All thoſe who are indebted to the eſtate of William Imlay, late of Bordentown, deceaſed, are deſired to pay the ſame immediately, or their accounts will be ſued; and thoſe who have any demands againſt the ſaid Imlay, prior to the aſſignment of his eſtate, are requeſted to deliver in their accounts, that a dividend may be made, of ſuch part of the eſtate as the aſſignees have turned into caſh.

JOHN IMLAY,
HENRY DRINKER,
CLEMENT BIDDLE, } Aſſignees.

WEST JERSEY RIGHTS,

TO be ſold by JOHN and LAMBERT CADWALADER, in Front-ſtreet, a little above Walnut-ſtreet. § 1 M

Best possible image.

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The PENNSYLVANIA GAZETTE.

Containing the Freſheſt Advices, Foreign and Domeſtic.

From a late ENGLISH PAPER.

To the MERCHANTS *in* GREAT-BRITAIN *trading to* AMERICA.

GENTLEMEN,

I AM very ſenſible (and am ſure every unprejudiced thinking Perſon within this Kingdom, by this Time, muſt be) that the only Kind of Repreſentation the People in America have in Great-Britain, is nothing more than the bare Intereſt you have in the American Trade, connected with your Intereſt and Influence in Britain; ſo that the only Check which prevents the whole Property and Eſtates of that People being ſeized on, and appropriated to the Diſcharge of the National Debt, or ſome other Purpoſe, without their Conſent, is your Intereſt in the American Trade, and Influence to ſupport it.

Of this Opinion I am confirmed, from the Petitions of the Colonies having been heretofore rejected, or very little attended to; from your being the only Means that procured the Repeal of the Stamp-act; and from the Colonies being now debilitated to prefer any Petitions. I acknowledge the Colonies are indebted to you, not only in large Sums of Money, which, by the preſent Meaſures adopted, I muſt ingenuouſly tell you, I fear you are in the greateſt Danger of loſing, but alſo in Gratitude for Relief from the Ruin threatened by the late Stamp-act. I think it therefore my Duty, in Juſtice to you and the Colonies, to acquaint you, that to my certain Knowledge there has been, and now is, a Number of infamous Patriacides, who, from the Money they have received in the Colonies Service, from the Money they have lately received in doing the Colonies the greateſt Diſſervice, and from the Offices in which they have ſerved, have been enabled to make an Appearance at the moſt important Boards within this Kingdom, and there have repreſented and traduced their Country and Countrymen in the moſt unjuſt, unfair, daring and ſcandalous Manner; by whom Adminiſtration has been deceived, and even made to believe, that the People of America are ſo much dependent on Great-Britain, that they cannot manufacture without her Permiſſion, or without her Permiſſion have the Materials for Manufactures; and it has even been aſſerted in the public Papers, that there is not Wool enough raiſed in America, to make each Man there one Pair of Stockings; the Truth of which, I find, is not doubted; it is ſaid it came from good Authority. Indeed, ſo apt are People here to believe, eſpecially what is not true, that I ſhould not be ſurprized, ere long, to hear it aſſerted in the public Papers, that there was not ſuitable Timber in America, to make the different Kinds of Mills for manufacturing of Cloth, Iron, Timber, &c. or that there were proper ſufficient Streams of Water to turn ſuch Mills; which, indeed, would be as juſt a Repreſentation of the State of that Country, as any that has been lately attended to.

If you ſhould think that the Truth of what I have here advanced, merits an impartial Enquiry, I would recommend you to enquire of ſuch Gentlemen who are Natives of America, and now in London, who cannot be prejudiced by having or holding either Pay or Employ from the Colonies, whoſe Intereſt it would be to fall in with the Current of the Times, but have Honeſty enough to ſuffer, rather than do wrong; who have more Knowledge of American Law and Politics, and ten Times more Merit, than the whole of thoſe informing Patriacides, of whom there be many now in London, too well known to need mentioning, unleſs deſired by thoſe whoſe Buſineſs it ought to be to make proper Enquiry; from whom alone, not only Law, but Reaſon, and every Man in his Senſes, would expect ſuch Evidence, as is fit to found a Judgment upon, in any Matter worthy of Notice. RATIO.

From the AMERICAN GAZETTE.

To the EDITOR.

AS the rebellious Inhabitants of America are every Day finding Advocates on this Side the Atlantic, and as numberleſs Pens are continually endeavouring to leſſen the juſt Authority of the Mother Country, Humanity, as well as Juſtice, induces me to ſtep forth a Champion for poor Old England; and I flatter myſelf, that what I advance in her Favour, will not only be ſeriouſly attended to by Adminiſtration, but by every diſintereſted Member of the Community.

It is beyond a Doubt, that the People of Great-Britain have gone to an immenſe Expence to ſupport the American Colonies; indeed I muſt own that we granted the Colonies this Support intirely to promote our own Intereſt; and therefore they may reaſonably enough ſay, that they are not very much obliged to us.---However, let our Motive for protecting them be what it will, ſtill, as they have received the Benefit of that Protection, we have a Right, an unqueſtionable Right, of treating them as we think proper.---The Woman in the Fable, when ſhe fattened her Capon, thought ſhe had an indiſputable Title to kill it for their Support; and I ſee no Reaſon, as we have fattened the Coloniſts, why we ſhould not at any Time ſacrifice them, either for our Convenience or Diverſion.

Natural Rights are mighty pretty Things in Speculation, but in Experience, Sir, they ſignify very little; the Coloniſts tell us, that we have no *juſt* Claim to uſe them with *Injuſtice*; and argue, that they are not obliged to obey any Commands, which the Mother Country may ſend over, if thoſe Commands are repugnant to the manifeſt Sentiments of Equity. But, Sir, what Buſineſs has Equity at all in the Caſe? Are they able to reſiſt the Authority of Great-Britain? And are not we able to compel their Obedience in Spite of their Teeth? Political Principles, Sir, are widely different from moral ones; in Policy, Power always confers Right; and we have an unqueſtionable Claim to do what we pleaſe, provided we are in a ſufficient Capacity to do it. In civil Diſſenſions, the powerful Side is conſtantly the legal Side, and we as conſtantly look upon thoſe to be Rebels, who are guilty of being unfortunate.---For theſe Reaſons, the Americans ſhould be treated with the utmoſt Severity. Though we have ſaved them from being plundered by the French, they are offended if we think to plunder them ourſelves; and though we have raiſed them to their preſent State of Opulence and Freedom, they preſumptuouſly inſiſt, that we ought not to tread them either into Beggars or Slaves. An Arrogance of this Nature is unpardonable, Sir; if they had any Duty, they would not boldly pretend to a Right in their own property; and if they had any Gratitude, they would not heſitate a Moment to put on the Yoke, which is prepared for their Necks, by an injudicious or an arbitrary Miniſter.

But, Sir, though I highly approve the Intention of diſtreſſing the Americans, I am nevertheleſs extremely offended, that the Buſineſs is done by Halves. As our National Debt has been chiefly incurred upon their Account, why don't we make them pay it off at once? For my own Part, I think the moſt prudent Way of proceeding, would be to ſet all our Colonies up to Sale, either to the French or Spaniards, and ſo let the National Debt be paid with the Purchaſe Money. If the Property of the Americans is not ſufficient to anſwer this deſirable Purpoſe, let us make a Merchandize of their Perſons. If they are to be Slaves, it little ſignifies who is their Maſter; and by this Means we ſhall not only diſcharge our public Debts, but prevent our Trans-Atlantic Worthies from entertaining any Thoughts of eſtabliſhing an Independency for the future.

I know ſome tender-hearted People will ſay, that we have no Right to deprive the Americans entirely of their Property, though we have a juſt Right to make this Property ſubject to an occaſional Taxation; but, ſurely, Sir, if we are authoriſed to raiſe a ſingle Shilling without their Concurrence, we are authoriſed to ſeize upon all they have in the World. The Reaſoning that ſupports our ſtripping them of a Part, ſupports us in ſtripping them of the Whole, and conſequently the ſooner we promote our own Ends, and ſnatch them from the Miſery of a continued Oppreſſion, the ſooner we ſhall manifeſt our Prudence, and diſplay our Humanity. To wiſer Heads, however, I ſubmit theſe indigeſted Hints, and am, Sir,

Your Humble Servant,

BRITANNICUS.

From the LONDON MAGAZINE for February, 1769.

The Portrait of a late miſchievous Politician; copied by --- LUDLOW.

To the AUTHOR.

SIR,

ALLOW me to preſent to your reputable Magazine, a copied portrait of a political adventurer, that has done more apparent miſchief to Britain, than has been done by all her other enemies, ſince the ſigning of the laſt treaty of peace with the Bourbon family. I ſhall give it you in the words of an able writer, who thus deſcribes his political operations: "* Our great political adventurer, when, in the wantonneſs of his power, and poverty of his underſtanding, he undertook the reformation of Britiſh America, with the Britiſh and American commerce, and multiplied his impoſitions, reſtrictions, and regulations, ſubjecting the whole to military execution, in former times deemed by the wiſe fit only for commercial deſtruction, together with his memorable taxation to the enforcement of ſuch unconſtitutional, ſtrange, and unnatural judicatures, as the earth before never ſaw, might as well, I conceive, have formed a ſcheme to take the tools out of the hands of a conſiderable part of the manufacturers of Birmingham and Leeds, as his devices directly tended to diſtreſs the principal trading colonies, and take from them their little money, wanted to drive about the wheels of trade, neceſſary to the manufactures and commerce of this kingdom. I do not believe, that at making the peace he fouled his fingers, though ſome others will never be able to make theirs clean; but he was as ſolicitous to enforce in effect the laws made againſt Britiſh commerce by our late enemies, as if he had been paid for it. By one ſtroke of his policy, he made a preſent to the French and Dutch of a branch of the Britiſh commerce, whoſe annual profit, without reckoning other advantages, was 200,000l. and his whole refined ſyſtem may be reduced to the few articles of *impoveriſhment, embarraſſment, oppreſſion and confuſion!* But all that has been, or can be ſaid of him in theſe, or other reſpects, falls far ſhort of his attempt to ſubject the worthy families in America to have ſoldiers quartered upon them, whereby they muſt pay ſo dear for their infamous ſhackles. Truth will ſooner or later ſwim uppermoſt, and they who laboured to ſupport him in this attempt, do, I hope, expect to be tranſmitted to poſterity in their proper colours."

This is a very characteriſtic drawing, by a maſterly hand. How dangerous muſt it be to have ſuch a miſchievous mind and heart employed in the public adminiſtration! The ignorance of juſt political principles is glaring! "Since to preſerve the freedom of Britons, it is neceſſary that all parts and perſons of good citizens throughout the empire be free:" Freedom being the common right of all, and the integrity of it once broken, the torrent of power will overflow and deluge the ſyſtem. "For, ſaid Addiſon, if liberty only ſpreads among particular branches, there had better be none at all; ſince ſuch partial liberty only aggravates the misfortunes of thoſe deprived of it." And even a Clarendon could ſay, *that the chearfulneſs of ſubmiſſion, is the ſtrength of it.*

When, upon a diſcontent of one of the colonies, occaſioned by a right to certain lands which lay within it, and Lord Granville was urged to ſubdue by military force; he wiſely replied, "he had no notion of inſtructing the King's ſubjects in their allegiance *with great and ſmall ſhot.*"---Common ſenſe would teach men who ſought the public good, that population, riches, true religion, virtue, magnanimity, arts, ſciences and learning, are all of them the produce of liberty.

But beſides a deplorable want of juſt concern for public good, the moſt ſhameful ingratitude, and inſolent outrage, is committed on the American colonies, by putting them under the ſurly brow of a military force, in order to enforce oppreſſive meaſures, "when theſe very colonies have in the courſe of ſeveral years, by their imports, annually paid *a million of our public charges, 30 per cent. upon the manufacturers price, and 40 per cent. upon an average more than they ſhould have paid for the like imports from other nations* †."---Mark this.

It is not poſſible we can do leſs than conclude a deteſtable ſcheme, either of *deſpotiſm*, or of *ſubverſion*, at the bottom of ſuch political manœuvres, which are big with ſuch manifeſt miſchiefs to the Britiſh Conſtitution.

But with aſſurance we can add, "it was ever a great diſhonour, as well as injury to a free people, to be ſubject to the domination of the favourites of Princes; but what is ſtill worſe, ſome men would have them ſubject to the domination of the favourites of their fellow ſubjects."----Shocking idea! Men in power, are men who are ſeeking their own things. They have no liberal minds that would not ſacrifice their private views to the public weal. And ſome, we have reaſon to fear, are ſo far under the influence of the common enemy, as to be ready to bind Britannia in Gallic chains, and lay her bleeding upon the altar erected by the prieſts of Rome and Hell!----- LUDLOW.

* *See Continued corruption, ſtanding armies, and popular diſcontents conſidered, p. 74, 75.* † *Ibid. p. 73.*

TO BE SOLD,

A CERTAIN meſſuage or tenement, and lot or piece of ground, ſituate on the weſt ſide of Sixth-ſtreet from Delaware, between Cheſtnut-ſtreet and Market-ſtreet, containing in breadth, north and ſouth, 41 feet and one inch, and in depth 173 feet. For terms, apply to

STEPHEN CARMICK.

Cheſter, May 12, 1769.

BY virtue of writs of Venditioni Exponas, to me directed, on the 26th inſtant, on the premiſes, will be ſold by vendue, a certain meſſuage, plantation and tract or parcel of good land, thereunto belonging, containing 255 acres, ſituate in West-Nantmell townſhip, in the county of Cheſter; bounded by lands of John Gilliland, Joſeph Long, Andrew Spence, and William Mackay; there is now a noted tavern kept on the premiſes, and its public ſituation, near the Manor Meeting-houſe, where two roads croſs each other, makes it a place of good cuſtom; the buildings are a good ſquare log-houſe, a barn, and ſundry out-houſes, a choice orchard of 400 apple trees in their prime; about 25 acres of good watered meadow is on the premiſes, in good order; it may juſtly be ſaid to be a compleat farm, and a proper place for a tavern; late the eſtate of James M'Coſkry; ſeized in execution, and to be ſold by

JOHN MORTON, Sheriff.

N. B. At the ſame time and place will be ſold horſes and cattle, wheat in the ground, and various houſhold furniture.

Philadelphia, May 10, 1769.

AS the partnerſhip of STAMPER and BINGHAM is diſſolved, by the death of William Bingham, all perſons having any demands againſt them, are deſired to bring in their accounts to the ſubſcriber, that they may be ſettled and paid; and all thoſe, that are any ways indebted, are requeſted to pay immediately, to prevent further trouble.

JOSEPH STAMPER.

All perſons having any demands againſt the eſtate of WILLIAM BINGHAM, deceaſed, are deſired to bring in their accounts, duly proved, that they may be ſettled; and thoſe who are indebted to the ſaid eſtate, are requeſted to pay immediately.

MARY BINGHAM, Executrix.
JOSEPH STAMPER,
JOHN GIBSON, } Executors.

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BY Virtue of a Writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public Sale, on Friday, the 2d of June, at 2 o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the Houſe of Mrs. Mackinett, in Germantown; a certain Plantation, or Tract of Land, ſituate on the Road, leading from Wiſſahickon to Germantown Road, commonly called Shute's Road, containing about 22 Acres, the greateſt Part Meadow Ground, and a thriving Orchard, having a wooden Tenement and large Barn erected thereon, now in the Tenure of John Deel.

Alſo a certain Lot of Ground, ſituate on Manheim-ſtreet, in Germantown, containing about 13 Acres; bounded Eaſtward and Weſtward by Ground of Edward Shippen, Eſq; ſeized and taken in Execution, by JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

ROBERT AITKEN, Bookſeller,

From Glaſgow, juſt now arrived in the ſnow Peggy, and has opened his ſtore the firſt door below Mr. David Sproat's, Front-ſtreet, Philadelphia,

WITH a valuable variety of books, conſiſting of almoſt all the branches of literature, Church hiſtory, antient and modern, law, phyſic, mathematics, &c. alſo a large and elegant aſſortment of books, moral and entertaining, of the moſt approved authors, viz. Swift, Pope, Young, Milton, Thompſon, Cambray, Fontenelle, Voltaire, Rollin, Shafteſbury, Spencer, Congreve, Waller, Locke, Tillotſon, Scott, &c. &c. alſo novels, plays, ſongs; but chiefly books of divinity, whoſe names are famous in the churches, viz. Luther, Calvin, Knox, Rutherford, Durham, Flavel, Henry, Trail, Guthrie, Ower, Ambroſe, Gurnal, Wellwood, Williſon, Watſon, Bunyan, Binning, Boſton, Erſkine, Hervey, Watts, Gray, Walwood, Brooks, &c. &c. he has alſo a neat aſſortment of chapman books, pamphlets, ballads and ink-powder; alſo fine ſtays ſorted, ſilk and thread gauze, different patterns, plain and flowered. The above will be ſold by wholeſale, for ready money only. Such who intend to furniſh themſelves with any of the above articles, will apply ſoon, as the proprietor will make but a ſhort ſtay in this place.

JOSEPH CRUKSHANK, Printer,

HAVING furniſhed himſelf with a neat Aſſortment of elegant new Types, and other Materials, proper for carrying on his Buſineſs, hath juſt opened a PRINTING-OFFICE, in the Houſe formerly occupied by David Barnes, in Second-ſtreet, the ſecond Door below Cheſtnut-ſtreet, oppoſite the Shop of Benjamin Dean, where ſuch as pleaſe to favour him with their Cuſtom, may depend on having their Work done in a neat and correct Manner. Particular Care will be taken to do Advertiſements, Blanks, &c. on very ſhort Notice. And as the Public hath almoſt always generouſly encouraged young Beginners, he hopes for a Share of their Favour, which he will carefully endeavour to deſerve.

N. B. He has a ſmall Aſſortment of Books for Sale, Catalogues of which may be had at his Printing-Office.

AN Hundred and Thirty Dozen of SICKLES, ready prepared for the enſuing Harveſt, which are made with the utmoſt Care, will be ſold at the loweſt Rate, and inſured good by JAMES HENDRICKS, Cutler, at the Sign of the Sickle, the fourth Door above the Priſon, in Market-ſtreet.

N. B. A Servant Lad's Time to be diſpoſed of by ſaid Hendricks, who has about 4 Years to ſerve.

New-Caſtle Goal, March 13, 1769.

WHEREAS the ſubſcriber, upon his petition to the Honourable Houſe of Aſſembly of the government of the counties of New-Caſtle, Kent and Suſſex, upon Delaware, the 26th day of October laſt, applied for an act of aſſembly to diſcharge him from his confinement (he not being entitled to the benefit of the act of aſſembly of the ſaid government, intituled, "An act for the relief of inſolvent debtors,") obtained an order of the ſaid houſe, whereby he was commanded, "to cauſe advertiſements to be inſerted in the Pennſylvania Gazettee, ſix weeks before the next meeting of the ſaid houſe, therein giving notice to his ſeveral creditors, of his application to the ſaid houſe to be diſcharged from his confinement, and that they ſhould attend the ſaid houſe on the third day of June next, to make their objections (if any they ſhould have) to the prayer of ſaid petitioner." In obedience to which order, I do hereby give notice to all perſons concerned, to attend on the ſaid third day of June next, if they, or any of them, have any objections to my being diſcharged.

§ *WILLIAM SCOTT.*

BILL of RIGHTS.

AS the People of England are at this Time invited, in a public Manner, to ſupport the Bill of Rights, it may not be improper to apprize Engliſhmen, what theſe Rights are, and when and how they were eſtabliſhed; as to the Inſtances and the Manner in which they have been violated, it is not neceſſary *at this time* to mention.

The late King James the Second, having violated the Conſtitution to that Degree, as not to think himſelf any longer ſafe among his injured People, abdicated the Throne, and was ſucceeded by William and Mary, from whom the People received a Confirmation of *their Bill of Rights*, among which appear the following Ones.

1. That the pretended Power of ſuſpending of Laws, *or the Execution of Laws by regal Authority, without Conſent of Parliament, is illegal.*

2. That the pretended Power of diſpenſing with Laws, or the Execution of Laws, by regal Authority, *as it has been aſſumed and exerciſed of late, is illegal.*

3. That the levying for, or to the Uſe of the Crown, by Pretence of Prerogative, without Grant of Parliament, or for longer Time, or in other Manner, than the ſame is, or ſhall be granted, is illegal.

4. That it is the Right of the Subjects to petition the King, and all Commitments and Proſecutions for ſuch petitioning, are illegal.

5. That the Raiſing or Keeping a ſtanding Army within the Kingdom in Time of Peace, unleſs it be with Conſent of Parliament, is againſt Law.

6. *That the Election of Members of Parliament, ought to be free.*

7. That the Freedom of Speech, and Debates or Proceedings in Parliament, ought not to be impeached or queſtioned in any Court or Place out of Parliament.

8. That exceſſive Bail ought not to be required, *nor exceſſive Fines impoſed, nor cruel and unuſual Puniſhments inflicted.*

9. The Jurors ought to be *duly* impanelled and returned, and Jurors, who paſs upon Men in Trials for high Treaſon, ought to be Freeholders.

10. That all Grants and Promiſes of Fines and Forfeitures of particular Perſons before Conviction, are illegal and void.

11. And that for Redreſs of all Grievances, and for the amending, ſtrengthening, and preſerving of the Laws, Parliaments ought to be held frequently.

The Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, *claim, demand, and inſiſt*, upon all and ſingular the Premiſes as their undoubted Rights and Liberties; and that no Declarations, *Judgments*, Doings, or *Proceedings*, to the Prejudice of the People, in any of the ſaid Premiſes, ought in any wiſe to be drawn hereafter into Conſequence or Example. See Stat. 1 Will. and Mary, Sect. 2. Chap. 2. *An Engliſh Conſtitutional Lawyer.*

COPENHAGEN, February 26.

THE Affairs of the North begin to take a ſerious turn. The Empreſs of Ruſſia requires her Allies to furniſh her the ſtipulated Succours either in Men or Money. As our Kingdom is among the Number of her Imperial Majeſty's Allies, we are bound to ſend her 6000 Men, or 60,000 Crowns every Year, during the War. As ſo large a Sum might diſorder our Finances, the Court has reſolved to pay her Contigent in Men. His Majeſty has therefore ordered ſix new Regiments to be raiſed in Norway, five of Infantry, and one of Dragoons. The Army in Denmark has alſo been augmented with 16 Battalions.

Eight Ships of War, and two Frigates, are ready to ſail, and it is thought, that Squadron is alſo deſtined for Ruſſia.

Frontiers of Poland, Feb. 20. It is ſaid the Biſhop of Kaminieck, attended by ſeveral of his Partiſans, is actually at Conſtantinople, where he is concerting Meaſures with the Turks to effect the Ruin of this Country.

LONDON,

March 8. Authentic Advices from France ſay, that ſeveral thouſand Soldiers have been embarked lately from Bourdeaux, and other Ports of that Kingdom, for the French Settlements in the Weſt-Indies, Africa, &c. and that there are more Ships of War at preſent on the Stocks in France, than at any Time ſince the Peace of 1763.

March 9. It is confidently ſaid, that at the next election there will be three Kings of Brentford-----King James, [Lowther] King Charles, [Dingley] and King John, [Wilkes]

A Correſpondent, ſpeaking of the Houſes where the Meetings of the Merchants are held, aſks, "Who would have thought that the *King's Arms* ſhould be turned againſt *London?*

March 14. A Correſpondent from Stafford informs us, that ſome Years ago, while the Rector of a Pariſh in that County was gathering his Tithes at a Farm Houſe, the Farmer having eleven Children, told him, he ought to take the eleventh Child, which the Clergyman immediately conſented to, and brought it up at his own Expence; and when the Clergyman died, he was inducted into the Living, which he at this Time enjoys, worth, together with the Free School, 120l. per ann.

To the Gentlemen, Clergy, and Freeholders of the County of Middleſex.

GENTLEMEN,

IF I had not experienced your unwearied Zeal for Liberty, and the Defence of the fundamental Rights of the Subject, I ſhould feel ſome Uneaſineſs in being now obliged, by a third Expulſion, to beg the Favour of you to attend ſo ſoon again at Brentford, to ſupport your former Choice. But I know you have the Cauſe of your Country at Heart, and that you glory in every Opportunity of convincing the World, that you will never give up your Title to a free Election. If you tamely ſuffer this moſt valuable Right of chuſing your own Repreſentative in Parliament to be taken from you, or rendered of no Effect, you muſt not expect that the Enjoyment of any meaner, or more inconſiderable Franchiſe, will be long permitted. The ſpirit of every Engliſhman revolts at the very Idea, and the Freeholders of Middleſex have always firmly ſtood foremoſt in the Day of Trial, however ſevere and perilous.

The next County Court is fixed for Thurſday, the 13th of April, when the Election will come on at Brentford. The Appearance of my Friends at an early Hour of that Day, I ſhall eſteem as a very particular Obligation.

I am, Gentlemen,
With Deference and Reſpect,
Your faithful, and obliged
Humble Servant,
JOHN WILKES.

King's-Bench Priſon, Saturday, March 18, 1769.

March 21. The Swallow Sloop of War is arrived at Spithead, ſhe had been miſſing ſome Time. She has been gone three Years on a Voyage to the South Seas.

Parties run ſo high in Sweden, that they are ſending Expreſſes to the different Courts of Europe to recal all the Members of their different Aſſemblies, againſt the approaching Dyet: Laſt Week one of their Members was ſent for from Bath on that Occaſion, and was allowed but a very few Hours before he ſet out for Stockholm.

It is ſaid that moſt of the Officers of a certain Board are immediately expected to reſign. The Reaſon aſſigned for this is, that on a late public Inſpection of Accounts, there appeared ſome Inaccuracies that could not ſo clearly be explained. The *Premier* however is not only to be continued, but is ſoon to have a Penſion on the Iriſh Eſtabliſhment.

We hear that two patriotic Gentlemen were, on a certain Day, ſeverely cenſured for their uncommon activity in promoting the Intereſt of a certain popular Gentleman.

So very ambitious are the lower Rank of People, of adopting the name of a popular Patriot into their Families, that we are informed, a poor Couple, laſt Week, had their Daughter chriſtened by the name of John Wilkes.

March 23. On Monday, at the Meeting at Mile-end, a Gentleman produced a Letter from a worthy juſtice of Peace of 90 Years of Age, in which the Writer, after mentioning his having polled for Serjeant Glynn, on the Day of Blood and Danger, declared, that to the laſt Moment of his Life, he would continue to go and vote in Support of his undoubted Right as a Freeholder.

At the ſame Time and Place, a Member of an auguſt Aſſembly declared, that as the Cauſe of Mr. Wilkes was now a public Cauſe, he ſhould, at the next Election, change the Motto of his Cockade from "Wilkes and Liberty," to "Magna Charta, and the Bill of Rights."

Extract of a Letter from Vienna.

"By the Aſſiduity of Lord St-------, the Engliſh Ambaſſador here, your Britiſh Politics may take a more favourable Turn than could ever have been expected. Notwithſtanding the Dauphin of France is contracted to one of the Archdutcheſſes, yet are we joined with Pruſſia to recover Lorraine and Alſace againſt that very incroaching and ambitious Enemy. Should this Country be ever again united to Auſtria, France would ſoon become a very pitiful Power, compared to what ſhe now is. An Attack on Alſace will be a moſt favourable Diverſion on the Part of Great-Britain, whether by Accident or Deſign. The French, believe me, will find Buſineſs enough on their Hands to defend this Country of theirs, even though filled with ſuch Fortreſſes as ſeem impregnable.

"A Report is current here, that all Claims from Allies on the Continent have been waved, on the Plea that the internal Diviſions in a certain Kingdom required all their Troops, and the litigious Diſpoſition of the anti-miniſterial Party, all their Caſh. We know not how ſoon we may want both for ourſelves; ſo that numbers here think the Ball of Faction is kept from falling, in order to evade the claims other Countries have upon them for Subſidies of Men or Money."

COURT INTELLIGENCE EXTRAORDINARY.

The Sermon preached ſome Sundays ago at Court, was a more uncourtly one, it ſeems, than has been heard there in the preſent Reign. A Divine Legation not having been vouchſafed to this Country, the Right Rev. Preacher devoted his Half Hour to demonſtrate that Our Salt has altogether loſt its Savour, from the loweſt of the People, through all Ranks, even up to Miniſters of State; whoſe Senſibility not being very exquiſite, his L------p was underſtood to apply a pretty powerful Brine, and then laſhed them to the Bone.

We hear that it is determined that the Earl of S------- is not to go to Ireland; and that a noble Duke, of very great Fortune, to whom it is propoſed, has taken Time to conſider, whether it may be convenient to engage in an Office, which, according to the munificent Plan he adopted when he formerly filled it, is attended with exceeding great Expences.

The Trimming to the Wedding Suit of Cloaths of her Grace the Dutcheſs of Kingſton, exceeded any Thing of the Kind ever ſeen in England; it was oriental Pearl, and Bruſſels Point, which latter was preſented to her Grace by the Electreſs of Saxony.

A Gentleman, who was ſaid to be a Member of Parliament, addreſſed the Populace from the Window of St. James's Coffee-Houſe, with the following Toaſts, which he drank out of the Window: Firſt, his Majeſty; the Preſervation of Engliſhmens Liberties; and that the Poor might be able, by honeſt Induſtry, to maintain themſelves and their Families, in a reaſonable and comfortable Manner; which was no ſooner done, than the People huzza'd him ſeveral Times; and flung up their Hats, in Token of their Approbation: Upon which he addreſſed them again, with an earneſt Exhortation to behave with Decency and Peaceableneſs, which quieted them for ſome Time.

Extract of a Letter from Paris, March 6.

"The Prince de Rohan meets with great Obſtacles in the Eſtabliſhment of a Militia at St. Domingo. A private Letter, juſt received from Rochfort, imports, that a Ship was arrived there from St. Domingo, with Advice, that the Inhabitants of Leoganne and Goave had revolted, and taken Arms, and already muſtered 800 Horſemen, and a great Number of Foot: That they had given the other Inhabitants of the Iſland to underſtand, that if they did not join them immediately, their Houſes ſhould be ſet on Fire; and had even carried their Threats into Execution, with regard to ſome who did not think proper to join in the Revolt; inſomuch that the Prince de Rohan was obliged to march the Royal Legion againſt the Deſperadoes, to bring them to Reaſon."

Dublin, March 18. At the Shop of Mr. Hinds, Silkthrowſter, in New-row, Thomas-ſtreet, is a Rat that earns Three Shillings a Day by winding Silk.

HALIFAX,

April 13. On Friday laſt, at the Supreme Court, Frances Shannon, an Infant, about the Age of 10 Years, was tried for the Murder of her Siſter Mary Shannon, another Infant, about 4 Years of Age, and convicted of Manſlaughter at large.

April 20. On Friday laſt, the 14th Inſtant, Frances Shannon, convicted of Manſlaughter, was brought to the Bar of the Supreme Court to receive Judgment, and having prayed the Benefit of the Provincial Act, the ſame was allowed, and pleading a Pardon of burning in the Hand, the ſame was read, allowed and recorded, and the Priſoner was diſcharged by Proclamation.

BOSTON, May 4.

It has been reported, that Lieutenant General Sir Jeffery Amherſt, Colonel of the 3d Regiment of Foot, would be appointed Commander in Chief of his Majeſty's Forces in America, and Governor of this Province; it has alſo been reported, that Lieutenant General Studholme Hodgſon, Colonel of the 4th Regiment, will be appointed to the ſaid Command, and to the Government; while others report, that his Excellency Thomas Pownall, Eſq; formerly Governor of this Province, will again be appointed to this Government; but we do not learn whether there is any Foundation for any of theſe Reports.

May 8. Laſt Friday the Freeholders, and other Inhabitants of this Town, legally warned, met at Faneuil-Hall, and there made Choice of the following Gentlemen to repreſent them in the General Aſſembly at the approaching Seſſion.----The Number of Voters being 508.

The Hon. JAMES OTIS, Eſq; - -	502
The Hon. THOMAS CUSHING, Eſq; - -	502
Mr. SAMUEL ADAMS, - - - -	503
JOHN HANCOCK, Eſq; - - - -	505

Previous to the above Choice, the following Vote was paſſed, *Nemine Contradicente, viz.*

Voted, That the Town, before they proceed upon the Buſineſs of this Day, do make, or order to be entered upon their Records, the following Declaration of their Rights and Freedom of their Elections, *viz.*

The Select-men having acquainted the Town, that they had waited on General MACKAY, Commander of his Majeſty's Forces quartered here, to inform him, that the Choice of Perſons to repreſent this Town in the General Aſſembly was coming on, and to claim in Behalf of the Town the full Right of Britiſh Freeholders and Subjects upon ſo important an Occaſion, founded in the Principles of the Britiſh Conſtitution.-----The Select-men having alſo acquainted the Town, that the General had declared, that it was not in his Power to march the Troops out of the Town upon this Occaſion, or any further to comply with their Claim, than by confining the Troops to their Barracks, which he engaged to do.

The Town, tho' they receive this Anſwer as a Conceſſion of the Rectitude of the Claim, yet as the Meaſure of confining the Troops to their *Barracks*, and not removing them out of Town, is by no Means adequate to the Extent of their conſtitutional Right, they cannot proceed to an Election, without declaring their clear and full Senſe, that the Reſidence of armed Forces in the Town, during an Election of ſo great Importance, is a high Infringement of their conſtitutional Rights; *proteſting*, that their proceeding to an Election under ſuch a Circumſtance, is wholly from Neceſſity, and not to be conſidered as a Precedent at any Time hereafter, or conſtrued as a voluntary receding from the inconteſtible Rights of Britiſh Subjects and Freeholders, on ſo intereſting an Occaſion.

We are informed that the Freeholders, and other Inhabitants of the Town of Cambridge, met on the 5th Inſtant, and made Choice of Mr. Thomas Gardner, as their Repreſentative, and at the ſame Time voted the following Inſtructions.

1ſt, We expect that you will, to the utmoſt of your Power, ſupport, maintain, and defend his moſt ſacred Majeſty GEORGE the Third, our rightful Sovereign, his Crown, Dignity and Family.

2dly, You are to uſe your beſt Endeavours, that our invaluable Charter, Liberties, Privileges and Immunities, *dearly* purchaſed by our *Anceſtors*, and all the RIGHTS derived to them from the invariable *Law* of *God* and *Nature*, be tranſmitted inviolable, to the *lateſt Poſterity*.

3dly, We apprehend, that no Power on *Earth* can juſtly *deprive us* of our eſſential *Rights*, and that *no Man* can be ſafe either as to his *Life*, *Liberty* or *Property*, if a contrary Doctrine ſhould prevail; therefore *we* recommend to you a firm, but prudent Oppoſition to all unconſtitutional Meaſures.

4thly, We enjoin, that by no Means you vote for the Draft of any Money out of the public Treaſury, unleſs the Occaſion be emergent, and warranted by the Maxims of Equity, the Principles of our happy Conſtitution, and Precedents juſtly reſulting from the ſame.

Extract of a Letter from St. Nichola, on the Iſland of Hiſpaniole, April 7, 1769.

"There have lately been great Diſturbances among the French, in and about Port au Prince; large Sugar Drogers are taken up to carry Troops from one Place to another, and the Men preſſed out of the ſmall Craft that go to the Bite of Leoganne, &c.---- We know but little of the Cauſe of this Uneaſineſs, as they keep as much from us as they can; it is now ſaid Things are quiet there, as the Commandant has hanged ſome of the Ringleaders, and ſent ſome others to France.----Trade is very dull here, and nothing from America bears any Price."

NEWPORT, *May* 8.

Laſt Monday Morning, a Woman in Exeter, in this Colony, was ſafely delivered of her twentieth Child, having 18 Children now living.

Extract of a Letter from a Merchant in London, to another in this Place, dated March 23.

"All the Am-----n Petitions were rejected by the Houſe of Commons this Day, and not allowed to be read, which cauſes great Confuſion among the Merchants here."

NEW-YORK, May 8.

Monday and Tueſday laſt we had ſome hard Winds at North-eaſt, during which a Sloop from Coracoa, bound into this Port, Anthony Peres, Maſter, laden with Mahogany, and ſome Caſh on board, was unhappily drove aſhore on Deal Beach, a little to the Southward of Shrewſbury Inlet, whereby three Men loſt their Lives, and the Veſſel ſtove to Pieces:------The reſt of the People were ſaved, with the chief of the Caſh, and it is ſaid, ſome of the Cargo will be recovered.

Captain Gibbs arrived here Saturday laſt, in 23 Days from the Muſketo Shore, by whom we learn, that great Numbers of Settlers arrive daily from the Windward at that Place, where their new Governor, Mr Hodgſon, grants them Patents for Land on very eaſy Terms, and that it is like ſoon to be a fine Settlement, the Lands being as good as any in the Weſt-Indies.

May 15. Yeſterday the Duke of Cumberland Packet, Captain Goodridge, ſailed from hence with the Mail for Falmouth.

By a Jamaica Paper of the 8th of April, it appears, that they had Advice there from Hiſpaniola, that the regular Troops in that Iſland had two different Engagements with the Inhabitants, and were defeated in both, and that every Thing there was in the greateſt Confuſion and Diſorder.

Wedneſday laſt was committed to our Goal, for paſſing counterfeit Dollars, a certain John Jubeart, born on Staten-Iſland, a Blackſmith by Trade. The Quantity found upon him was 10 in Number, 9 of which were dated 1763, and one 1761: They are ſtruck with a Die, the Edges milled, and appear of a dirty white Colour, tinged with yellow; they are very little lighter than the true Ones, the Impreſſion not ſo high or broad, the two Globes between the Pillars appear ſunk, and the Edge of an unequal Thickneſs, the Milling of which in one Place is not joined: They ring well, and are ſuppoſed to be a Compound of Copper and Tin, lightly ſilvered over, which may be eaſily ſcraped off.

PHILADELPHIA, May 18.

Extract of a Letter from a Gentleman in London, Feb. 6, 1769.

"How long we may be permitted to carry on a friendly Communication, will become a Queſtion, as the Sword of Civil War ſeems ready to ſtart from the Scabbard, and eager to be imbrued in Brother's Blood. Our M------y, who, by the Power of giving Places and Penſions, have ſecured a Majority in both H----s of P--------t, are determined to carry their Point againſt the Freedom of America, and by that Means to pave the Way for an Attack on our Conſtitution; and will ſpare no Blood or Treaſure (except their own) to effect this infamous Purpoſe; nor do I ſee, at preſent, any Thing to prevent it, but a popular Commotion, which, indeed, our People ſeem ripe for, and want only a few able Leaders; whether Wilkes will prove one, I cannot determine, but thus far I can aſſure you, that, ſetting aſide all Prejudices and popular Clamour againſt his former Irregularities, we muſt acknowledge, that he has done and ſuffered more for the Cauſe of Liberty, than any Patriot in our Time; and in all his latter Conduct, he has been ſo ſteady, and ſo conſiſtent, that it has gained him univerſal Applauſe. I ſay *univerſal*; for he is not only idolized by the Mob, but carreſſed and ſupported by a great Majority of ſenſible thinking Men in this City, and the Counties around it.

"Your Memorial from Philadelphia will come to nothing, at leaſt I fear ſo. I attended the Meeting of the Merchants and Manufacturers, and we choſe a reſpectable Committee to wait on the M------y; but what could be expected from Men who had already taken their Party; and who have not the leaſt Idea of Juſtice or Liberty."

Extract of another Letter from the ſame Gentleman, March 4.

"Since the Account I gave you in my laſt, of your Philadelphia Memorial, I find that all my Suggeſtions are confirmed, and that no Relief is to be expected for our Colonies. I underſtand that your Province will, immediately on this News, follow the Example of Boſton, and New-York, and ſtop the Importation of European Goods; this Plan, if univerſal, might have ſome Effect, but if partial, will only tend to your own Prejudice, and inflame Meaſures ſtill more."

In a Letter from London, of March 6, *there is the following Paragraph.*

"I am perſuaded that I ſhewed ſome Judgment in my laſt Letter, when I ventured to pronounce, that this Country would know too well the Value of the Colonies, to ſuffer theſe unhappy Differences that have ariſen, to be carried to a much greater Height; and, without pretending to be let into the Cabinet Secrets, I ſtill hold the ſame Opinion, notwithſtanding the Boſtonian Grievances are *red-dreſſed*, as a witty News-paper of this Day informs us."

Extract of a Letter from London, March 8.

"A heavy Cloud continues to hang over the Public Face of Affairs. The Miniſtry ſeem totally to have loſt the Confidence of the People. The violent Declarations which they have made, and the arbitrary Meaſures they are purſuing, do no great Honour to their Abilities, nor the exorbitant Deficiency of the Civil Liſt, to their Integrity. As far as I can learn, they are however likely to continue in Power, and perhaps for this Reaſon, that, in the preſent embroiled State of Affairs, no other Sett are found deſperate enough to undertake it after them."

Extract of a Letter from London, March 9.

"Nothing has tranſpired reſpecting public Affairs ſince the Letter to your Committee; ſhould any favourable Opportunity preſent, you may depend on our utmoſt Endeavours for the Good of America; and ſhould the Merchants in your Province withhold having Goods from us, we hope they will avoid any tumultuous Proceedings, and then it cannot be conſtrued in your Diſfavour, as in the other Provinces."---

Extract of a Letter from London, March 11, 1769.

"I am apt to imagine, that the preſent Seſſion of Parliament will wear away, without being marked by any material Event; for they are expected to break up ſoon after the Eaſter Holidays---- They have already ſettled with the Eaſt-India Company;----they have voted their Supremacy over the Colonies, and there I fancy this Matter will ſtick till next Year;----they have given the King £ 513,500, to pay his Civil Liſt Debts;----and as for Wilkes, nothing remains but to reject him when he is re-choſen, and ſo the County muſt be content with one Member for the reſt of this Parliament. It may happen, however, that if any Perſon is put up

against him, that Perſon, whoever he is, and however great his Minority upon the Poll, will be received by the Houſe for the ſitting Member.----But, diſregarding every thing relating to Wilkes, and every thing elſe, I conſider our Difference with North-America, as the moſt material Affair now depending. No Steps are yet taken, or even talked of, to heal the Breach, tho' it be every Day growing wider. Much will depend upon the Effect this will have on our Manufacturers during the Courſe of next Summer. You ſeem determined to be frugal, and to ceaſe from the further Importation of Engliſh Goods, as much as poſſible; and here they ſeem at a Loſs how to recede from the Plan of Conduct already adopted.----I am really ſorry I cannot give you ſome more material intelligence; but Things are ſo oddly circumſtanced, that there is no writing ſatisfactorily upon the Subject juſt now.----Lord Chatham, it was expected, would have ſtept forward this Seſſion, but it ſeems his Time is not yet come. He is now in pretty good Health.----George Grenville, tho' he hath, upon ſome Occaſions, endeavoured to thwart the Miniſtry, in the Houſe has been, upon the whole, very quiet; and as the Adminiſtration have a conſiderable Majority on their Side, I do not imagine there is much Reaſon to expect any Change ſoon. Indeed we have hardly any to chooſe, unleſs thoſe who have already been tried to little Purpoſe."

Captain Sparks, from London, on the 8th Inſtant, in Lat. 32: 50, Long. 72: 40, ſpoke a Snow, Captain M'Carroll, from Virginia for Antigua, out 7 Days; there was a Schooner in Company, alſo from Virginia for the ſame Iſland.

Captain Scott, from Briſtol, on the 18th ult. in Lat. 36, Long. 52, ſpoke a Schooner, Captain Brown, from Boſton for Madeira, 15 Days out; 20th, in Lat. 36, ſpoke a Snow, from Virginia for Gibraltar, 11 Days out; and on the 7th Inſtant, in the ſame Latitude, he ſpoke a Brig, from Virginia for Glaſgow, out 3 Days, all well.----On his Paſſage he met with very heavy Gales, and on the 22d of April he received conſiderable Damage in his Sails and Rigging by a Whirlwind.

Captain Dunn, from Cork, on the 29th of laſt Month, in Lat. 37: ſpoke a Brig, Captain Taylor, from Liverpool for Baltimore, out 4 Weeks; and on the 10th Inſtant, in Lat. 38: 24, he ſpoke a Schooner from New London for the Weſtern Iſlands, 4 Days out. On the 12th Inſtant, being in Sight of the Land, Captain Dunn ſaw a large Veſſel diſmaſted, but being a great Diſtance from her, he could not diſtinguiſh what ſhe was.

Captain Young, from Briſtol, on the 7th Inſtant, in Lat. 30: 55, ſpoke a Snow from Liſbon for South-Carolina, out 47 Days; 9th, in Lat. 34: 47, ſpoke a Snow from Nantz for Virginia; and on the 11th he ſpoke with Captain Wattle, in a Schooner from Turks Iſland for New-London, 12 Days out.

Captain Kent, from Liſbon, on the 7th Inſtant, in Lat. 28: 49, Long. 63, ſpoke the Brig Betſy, Captain Hutchings, of this Port, from Norfolk, bound to Barbados, 10 Days out, all well; and on the 10th, in Lat. 36, Long. 73, he ſpoke the Ship Amelia, belonging to Briſtol, from Antigua for Virginia, with Slaves on board, 11 Days out, all well.

Captain Rollins, in 36 Days from the Muſquito Shore, informs, that three Days after he ſailed, he came acroſs the Wreck of a Ship overſet, about 300 Tons Burthen, which he ſuppoſed had been aſhore on ſome of the Keys, and drifted off again, as her Bottom was much damaged; ſhe had a Figure Head, and large Quarter Galleries, appeared to be American built, and had Staves between Decks; but the Sea running very high, he could not learn further Particulars.

Captain Fearns, from the Grenades, on the 10th Inſtant, in Lat. 36, Long. 71, ſpoke a Snow, Captain Irwin, from Glaſgow for Virginia, out 7 Weeks, all well; and off our Capes, he ſpoke a Sloop, from Boſton for Baltimore, but did not learn the Maſter's Name.

Captain Younghuſband, arrived in Virginia from Liverpool, ſpoke with Captain Falconer, from this Port for London, 160 Leagues from our Capes, all well.

Captain Winn, arrived at New-York from London, on the 24th ult. in Lat. 38, Long. 66, ſpoke the Snow King George, Captain Potts, of this Port, bound to Liſbon from Maryland.

From Annapolis we learn, that the Merchants, Traders, &c. of Maryland, are to have a Meeting there on Monday next, in order to conſult on the moſt effectual Means to promote Frugality, and leſſen the future Importation of Goods from Great-Britain.

About three Weeks ago, one Burbige, near Ligonier, and an Indian, went out to hunt, and meeting with Ducks, Burbige advanced to ſhoot at them, on which the Indian ſhot him, and made up to tomahawk him; but Burbige turning, and pointing his Gun, the Indian went off.------Burbige lay at the Place till next Day, when the Neighbours went in Search of him, and found him.----- He lived 5 or 6 Days after.----It is thought, that the Indian's Motive for killing Burbige, was to get his Gun.

*** *For a Piece relating to the Connecticut Peoples Claim to the Lands at Wioming; and for more European Intelligence, ſee the Supplement.*

CUSTOM-HOUSE, *Philadelphia*, INWARD ENTRIES.

Brig Two Janes, A. Kent, from Liſbon. Sloop Sally, E. Gray, and Sloop Diana, L. Gray, Falmouth. Sloop John, J. James, St. Martins. Sloop Cape-Fear Packet, E. Hanſon, N. Carolina. Sloop John and Suſanna, J. Cook, and Sloop Succeſs, J. Byrne, Virginia. Sloop Unity, J. Buchannan, and Schooner Polly, J. Sibbald, Boſton. Brig Ann and Catherine, J. Cooper, Halifax. Schooner Britannia, H. Johnſton, Salem, N. E. Brig Conſtant Friends, M. Fearns, Grenades. Sloop Endeavour, G. Ellis, N. York. Sloop Deborah, J. Waterman, Nantucket. Ship Mary and Elizabeth, J. Sparks, London. Ship Chalkley, P. Young, and Ship Hercules, J. Scott, Briſtol. Sloop Betſy, S. Skinner, Maryland. Sloop Ranger, J. Beak, and Snow Fortune, G. Crowninſhield, from St. Kitts.

Outwards. Sloop Eſther, R. Pitt, for Bermuda. Brig Mansfield, S. Harvey, and Sloop Hannah, W. Goodwin, Quebec. Sloop Alice, B. Newbold, Tortola. Ship Elizabeth, D. Brown, Cork. Brig Samuel, J. Allen, Londonderry. Sloop Lovely Laſs, D. Badger. Maryland. Brig Paragon, S. Smith, St. Euſtatia. Brig Abigail, J. Guittron, Liſbon. Sloop Exchange, H. Adamſon, Barbados. Sloop John, J. James, St. Vincents. Snow Peggy, W. Haſtie, Newfoundland. Ship Marquis of Granby, A. M'Ilvaine, Dover. Sloop Diana, J. Gray, for Gut of Canſo.

Cleared. Sloop Three Friends, N. Cooper, to Bermuda. Schooner Nancy, J. Warner, Sloop Polly, J. Golly, and Sloop Hannah, W. Goffigon, N. Carolina. Sloop Rachel, S. Parker, Virginia. Sloop Sally, R. Alberſon, and Sloop Dove, D. Ferguſon, N. York. Snow New Molly, W. Kerlin, and Brig Nancy, W. Adamſon, Liſbon. Brig Elizabeth and Mary, J. Thompſon, Cork. Brig James, J. Johnſon, St. Kitts. Brig Speedwell, J. Cox, Grenades. Schooner Sally, J. Lavigne, Hiſpaniola. Brig Elizabeth, C. Weſt, and Snow Sally, H. Robinſon, Jamaica. Ship Sally, P. Brown, Madeira. Brig Elizabeth, G. Pearce, Piſcataqua. Sloop Polly, J. Higgs, to St. Vincents.

Lately publiſhed, and to be ſold at the *New Printing-Office*, in Market-ſtreet, Philadelphia *(Price One Shilling)*

SOME OBSERVATIONS of CONSEQUENCE, in THREE PARTS. Occaſioned by the STAMP-TAX, lately impoſed on the BRITISH COLONIES.

HOUSHOLD FURNITURE, and ſundry other Articles, to be ſold by public Vendue, at the Subſcriber's Dwelling-houſe, at the Corner of Second and Union-ſtreets. The Sale will begin on Wedneſday, the 24th Day of this inſtant May, at Nine o' Clock in the Morning. CHARLES COXE. §1w.

To be LETT on a LEASE for 5 or 7 Years, and may be entered on immediately,

THE dwelling-houſe, brew-houſe, and appurtenances thereunto belonging (lately in the tenure of Humphrey Robinſon and Company) ſituate in Sixth-ſtreet, between Market and Cheſtnut-ſtreets: The works are now in good order, ready for carrying on the brewing buſineſs; therefore any perſon or perſons that are inclinable to rent the ſaid premiſes, may have the ſame upon eaſy terms, by applying to the owner,

‡ 5ſ. tbctf REYNOLD KEEN.

Philadelphia, May 16, 1769.

JUST IMPORTED, in the Ship Chalkley, Peter Young, Commander, from BRISTOL, A Number of healthy, likely, Engliſh and Welch indented SERVANTS, moſt of them are Youths, from 14 to 21 Years of Age, amongſt whom are ſeveral Tradeſmen; alſo ſeveral young Women, whoſe Times are to be diſpoſed of by JAMES and DRINKER, or by the Captain on board ſaid Ship, at their Wharff.

Philadelphia, May 16, 1769.

TO be SOLD on board the HERCULES, CAPTAIN SCOTT, from Briſtol, and now lying off Market-ſtreet wharff, a few ſervant MEN, WOMEN and BOYS, chiefly tradeſmen, viz. A File-maker, Mathematician, Painters and Glaziers, Shoemakers, a Plaiſterer, Coach-maker, Sawyer, &c. Alſo a few boxes of lemons, grindſtones, Smith's and houſe coal. For terms apply to THOMAS SAVADGE, or ſaid Maſter on board.

WANTED immediately, a WET NURSE, who can come well recommended from the country. Enquire of the PRINTERS.

Was LOST, on Monday laſt, the 15th inſtant, ſuppoſed to be between Walnut and Market-ſtreets, in Third-ſtreet, a HEART DIAMOND HOOP RING. Whoever has found it, and will bring it to the PRINTERS, ſhall receive a reaſonable REWARD. Tbctf.

Juſt imported from London, in the Mary and Elizabeth, Captain Sparks, and

NOW OPENING,

And to be SOLD by

JOHN MITCHELL,

At his STORE in FRONT-STREET, between CHESTNUT and MARKET-STREETS,

A LARGE and neat ASSORTMENT of SPRING GOODS, which he will ſell on the very loweſt Terms, for CASH, or the uſual CREDIT.

MEASE and MILLER,

At their ſtore in Front-ſtreet, the corner of Gray's Alley, have juſt imported in the ſhip Mary and Elizabeth, Captain Sparks, the Fame, Captain Creighton, from London, and other veſſels from EUROPE,

A NEAT aſſortment of European and India GOODS, ſuitable for the ſeaſon, which they will ſell exceeding low for CASH, or the uſual CREDIT.

N. B. They have a parcel of Engliſh ſugar moulds and drips, fit for Sugar-bakers, which they will ſell conſiderably under firſt coſt; alſo a few crates of enamelled ſtone TEA WARE.

HENRY BARNHOLD, Grocer,

At the Golden Ball, in Second-ſtreet, the third door above the Engliſh Church, and oppoſite to Mr. William Whitebread's, Philadelphia, has for ſale,

BEST French and Spaniſh olives, French capers, anchovies, beſt Florence oyl, ſecond ditto, by the jar, gallon, quart, or ſmaller quantity, currants, raiſins, almonds, figs, pruans, citron, ſugar candy, loaf and Muſcovado ſugars, bohea tea, coffee, mace, cloves, cinnamon, nutmegs, whole and ground pepper, ditto alſpice, ditto ginger, ditto rice, oatmeal and grotts, pearl and Scotch barley, ſago, tamarinds, indigo, ſtarch, Jamaica ſpirits, Weſt-India rum, French brandy, Holland geneva, arrack, beſt Fontiniac wine and ſack, roſe water, wine and cyder vinegar, liquorice-ball, ſalt-petre, Glauber ſalts, allom, copperas, brimſtone, roſin, powder and ſhot, corks, ſpermaceti candles, ſweet meats, ſaffron, lamp oyl, brown paper by the ream, antimony, flour of ſulphur, camphire, chocolate, muſtard, and ſundry other articles, too tedious to mention.

N. B. Said BARNHOLD has a large and neat aſſortment of the above grocery, which he will ſell on the loweſt terms.

And as he is determined to procure the beſt of groceries, he hopes to give ſatisfaction to thoſe who pleaſe to favour him with their cuſtom.

He buys all ſorts of EMPTY BOTTLES. †

GOOD HEMP,

So be SOLD, by

JOSEPH PEMBERTON,

On the North Side of RACE-STREET, the third Door from the Corner of THIRD-STREET. †5s. Tbc.

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public ſale, on Friday, the 2d day of June, at 7 o'clock in the afternoon, at the London Coffee-houſe, a lot of ground, ſituate on the ſouth ſide of Market and eaſt ſide of Sixth-ſtreets, containing in front on Market-ſtreet 39 feet 9 inches, and extending back on Sixth-ſtreet 180 feet to Minor-ſtreet, having a large well built 3 ſtory brick meſſuage, 32 feet front, and 48 feet in depth, with large back buildings adjoining, thereon erected; alſo one other lot of ground, ſituate on the eaſt ſide of Sixth-ſtreet, and ſouth ſide of Minor-ſtreet, containing in front on Sixth-ſtreet 86 feet, and in depth on Minor-ſtreet 39 feet 9 inches, with a coach-houſe and ſtables erected thereon, both lots ſubject to a ground-rent of £ 16 Pennſylvania currency per annum. At the ſame time will be ſold, one other lot of ground, containing in front on Market-ſtreet 22 feet, and in depth 180 feet to Minor-ſtreet, adjoining the firſt deſcribed lot; alſo one other lot of ground, ſituate on the ſouth ſide of Minor-ſtreet, containing in front 18 feet 10 inches, and in depth 86 feet; late the eſtate of Alexander Stedman Eſq; ſeized and taken in execution, by

JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

Juſt imported in the Peggy, Captain Haſtie, from Glaſgow, and to be ſold at the loweſt rates, by

JOHN CORSE,

In Second-ſtreet, between Market and Cheſtnut-ſtreets, next door to Mr. GEORGE RANKIN'S,

A NEAT aſſortment of merchandize, amongſt which are, ozenbrigs, Scotch and Iriſh linens, checks of different widths, checked and ſtriped hollands, printed and check handkerchiefs, plain and ribbed white thread hoſe, brown and marbled ditto, white threads from No. 5 to 76; a variety of plain, ſtriped, ſpotted, figured and flowered lawns and ſilk gauzes, of all widths; fine 5 and 6-4 ſpotted, flowered and needle wrought aprons, figured, flowered and tape bordered handkerchiefs, Tartan plad, garters, &c. &c. &. ⇔ 6W.

For BRISTOL,

The Snow ANNA,

MASTER,

NOW lying at THOMAS CLIFFORD'S Wharff, is a good Veſſel, well accommodated for Paſſengers, great Part of her Cargoe ready to go on board, expected to ſail about the 1ſt of June. For Freight or Paſſage apply to THOMAS CLIFFORD and SON.

Baltimore-Town, May 8, 1769.

RAN away laſt night, from the ſubſcriber, living in Baltimore-Town, an Engliſh ſervant man, named HENRY CARTWRIGHT, about 5 feet 8 inches high, 24 years of age, freſh complexion, has ſhort light brown hair, wears it looſe about his ſhoulders, wants ſeveral of his teeth, broad ſhouldered, greatly bow-legged, had on when he went away, a new felt hat, a good green jacket, made ſailor faſhion, with buttons on the ſleeves, a ſtriped under ditto, a pair of black ſhag breeches, a light pair of worſted ſtockings, and a pair of yarn ribbed ditto in his pocket, a pair of ſoled ſhoes, and plain yellow buckles, a check ſhirt, and check handkerchief about his neck. Whoever takes up ſaid ſervant, and ſecures him in any goal, ſo that his maſter may have him again, ſhall have, if 20 miles from home, Twenty Shillings, if 40 miles, Forty Shillings, and if out of the province, Three Pounds reward, and reaſonable charges, paid by GEORGE PRESSTMAN §

TO be SOLD, by public vendue, on Saturday next, the 20th of May inſtant, at the London Coffee-Houſe, at 6 o' clock in the evening,

The SHIP FAME,

Now lying at Mr. BUCKRIDGE SIMS's wharff, burthen about 195 TONS.

Her INVENTORY may be ſeen at the COFFEE-HOUSE. ¶ 1w.

For LONDON,

The SHIP,

MARY & ELIZABETH,

JAMES SPARKS,

COMMANDER,

SHE is a good ſhip, and has extraordinary accommodations for paſſengers, part of her cargoe ready to go on board, will ſail with all convenient ſpeed. For freight or paſſage apply to JOHN HEAD, the MASTER on board the Ship, at Riche's wharff, or at the London Coffee-Houſe.

N. B. Said HEAD has imported in the above ſhip, and other veſſels, a large aſſortment of European, with ſome India GOODS, ſuitable for the preſent and enſuing ſeaſon, amongſt which is Bohea tea of the beſt quality, which he will ſell on reaſonable terms. Philad. 5th Month 18, 1769.

Imported in the laſt Veſſels from LONDON, and to be SOLD by DAVID HALL, at the New Printing-Office, in Market-ſtreet, Philadelphia, a general Aſſortment of BOOKS, and STATIONARY; among which are,

ROBERTSON's Hiſtory of Charles the Fifth, 3 Vols. Quarto; Lyttleton's Hiſtory of Henry the Second, 4 Vols. Octavo; Ruffhead's Life of Pope; Marine Dictionary; Anderſon's Hiſtory of France, 2 Vols. Folio; Bacon's Abridgment, 5 Vols. Owen's Dictionary of Arts and Sciences; Ruſſian Code of Laws; Storke's Hiſtory of Eaſt-Florida; Monthly Reviews; Gentleman's, London and Univerſal Magazines; Ladies and Gentleman's Memorandum Books, &c. &c. &c. Alſo PAPER of all Sorts, by the Ream, or ſmaller Quantity.

TWO DOLLARS Reward.

STRAYED away, the 9th inſtant, a dark bay MARE, near 15 hands high, four years old, has a high boney forehead, a ſtar in her face, and a ſmall ſtroke of white on one ſide her noſe; ſhe trots very light, but is apt to cut herſelf behind, and had her heels a little ſwelled when ſhe went away. Whoever takes up ſaid MARE, and will bring her to JOHN CHANDLER's, at the Fox and Hounds, in Fourth-ſtreet, ſhall receive the above reward, and all reaſonable charges paid. ‡

Philadelphia, May 16, 1769,

RAN away laſt night from the ſubſcriber, an apprentice lad, named Peter Peterſon, about 19 years of age, near 5 feet 7 inches high, much marked with the ſmall-pox, has red hair, and a ſandy complexion, had on, when he went away, a light blue coloured cloth coat, and breeches of the ſame, and a light coloured cloth jacket, an old caſtor hat, white ſhirt, thread ſtockings, and old ſhoes. Whoever takes up ſaid apprentice, and brings him to MATTHIAS LANBENBERGER, ſhall receive a reward of SIX-PENCE for their trouble. ‖

ALL perſons indebted to the eſtate of JEMIMA JONES, deceaſed, widow of DANIEL JONES, late of Philadelphia, Chair-maker, are deſired to pay; and thoſe who have any demands againſt the eſtate, are requeſted to bring in their accompts to WILLIAM SAVERY, CALEB ATTMORE, } Executors.

TO BE SOLD,

A TRACT of LAND, at the upper end of Germantown, containing about 15 acres, with a good ſtone houſe, two ſtories high, 40 feet front, 2 rooms on a floor, a convenient out-houſe for a tenant, a framed ſtable and chaiſe-houſe; about 5 acres of the land are well timbered, the other part improved in an handſome flower garden, and a large kitchen garden, an orchard of the beſt apple trees, and a great variety of the choiceſt cherries, pears, plumbs, apricots, grapes, and other fruits. Any perſon inclinable to purchaſe, may view the premiſes, and know the terms, by applying to SAMUEL SHOEMAKER.

RUN away from the Subſcriber, living in Upper Freehold, Monmouth county, Eaſt-Jerſey, on the 24th of April laſt, a Negroe man, went formerly by the name of Arney's Joe, about 50 years of age, 5 feet 10 or 11 inches high, a well ſet arch cunning rogue, wants his fore teeth, plays on the fiddle, is very much given to ſtrong drink, and pretends to be free; had on, when he went away, a brown homeſpun coat, two jackets, one a blue camblet, the other a brown homeſpun broadcloth, old buckſkin breeches, a coarſe tow ſhirt, blue yarn ſtockings, old ſhoes, tied with ſtrings, and two felt hats, one old, the other new. Any perſon bringing ſaid Negroe to the Subſcriber, or ſecuring him in any goal in the province, ſo that he may get him again, ſhall have Three Pounds reward, and all reaſonable charges, paid by EMER JACKSON. ¶

To be SOLD, by public VENDUE,

On the 10th Day of June next enſuing the Date hereof, by the Subſcribers (Executrix and Executor of the Laſt Will and Teſtament of Joſhua Bond, late of Baltimore County, Maryland, deceaſed, and purſuant thereto, for Caſh, or ſhort Credit, on giving Security, if required,

A GOOD new Merchant-Mill and Griſt-Mill, double geered, which are compleatly finiſhed, with two Pair of Stones, two Boulting-Cloths and hoiſting Geers, all going by Water. A good new framed Saw-Mill, well covered, and running Geers, in good Repair. The ſaid Mills are built on an approved good Part of a never-failing Stream of Water, known by the Name of Winter's Run, and they being but about 6 Miles from Buſh-River Landing, and 7 Miles from Joppa, in ſaid County, and in a populous Neighbourhood, it renders the Griſt-Mill extraordinary well ſituated for getting Grain, either for Merchant or Country Griſt; and the Saw-Mill to have conſtant Employ, there being always great Demand for Plank of all Sorts. There is alſo to be ſold, with ſaid Mills, about 30 or 40 Acres of good Land adjoining thereto, well timbered, and great Part may (by little Expence) be made good Meadow of.

All Perſons that have any juſt Demands againſt the Eſtate of the aforeſaid Joſhua Bond, are hereby deſired to bring in their Accounts, regularly proved, that they may be adjuſted. And all thoſe that are indebted to the ſaid Eſtate, are hereby once more requeſted to make immediate Payment, and by their ſo doing they will prevent Trouble (that muſt enſue from their Non-payment) to themſelves, as well as to ANN BOND, Executrix, WILLIAM BOND, Executor.

May 13, 1769. ‖

Waterford, Glouceſter County, May 15, 1769.

TO be ſold by way of public vendue, at Haddonfield, in the county aforeſaid, on Saturday, the 27th day of this inſtant, one Engliſh bay STALLION, near 14 hands high, has a ſmall ſtar in his forehead. The vendue to begin at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of the day aforeſaid, at which time and place the conditions of ſale will be made known, and attendance given, by ISAAC JONES.

N. B. The above deſcribed horſe was left with me, ſome time in November laſt. If the perſon who left him, or any perſon claiming property in the ſaid horſe, come and prove ſuch property, and pay the charges, accrued on account of him, before the day of ſale aforeſaid, they may have him again. ‡

Philadelphia, 5th Month 4, 1769.

ALL Perſons indebted to the Eſtate of Nathan Shepherd, late of this City, Carter, either by Bond, Note, or Book Debt, are hereby deſired to make ſpeedy Payment to the Subſcribers; and thoſe that have any Accounts againſt him, are deſired to bring them in, in order to have them ſettled. THOMAS SHOEMAKER of Cheltenham, JOHN BROWN, ABRAHAM ROBINSON, of Philadelphia, Aſſignees. ¶

TO BE SOLD,

AN IRISH SERVANT MAN's TIME, who has above 4 Years to ſerve, and is fit for Town or Country Buſineſs. Enquire of the PRINTERS; JOSIAH DAVENPORT, at the Bunch of Grapes, in Third-ſtreet; or THOMAS TRUSTIN, Bricklayer, in Cherry-Alley.

FIFTY DOLLARS Reward.

BROKE out of goal, on the 15th of laſt April, from the ſubſcriber, high Sheriff of the county of Orange, one Claudius Smith, alias James Read, alias John Wright, about 5 feet 8 inches high, ſtraight and well built, and pale complexion, very light ſhort hair, and white beard; he has had 4 or 5 grains of powder blown in under his right eye; he has ſhort white teeth, and ſeldom ſhews them but when he laughs; he is a great bully, and will fight wherever he goes, being very conceited of his ſtrength: He had on very bad clothes when he went away, but it is ſuppoſed he will not wear them long, as he is a remarkable thief. He was confined for debt, theft, and rioting.-----He is a noted horſe ſtealer. Any perſon who takes up and ſecures the ſaid runaway, ſo that he may be had again, ſhall receive the above reward, and all reaſonable charges paid, by Jeſſe Woodhull, high Sheriff of the county of Orange, or by Jeremiah Colman, deputy Sheriff of the ſaid county. ¶

TO BE SOLD,

THE time of a likely ſervant MAN, having between 3 and 4 years to ſerve, by trade a Shoemaker. Enquire of the PRINTERS. ¶

STOLEN the 5th inſtant, out of a paſture in New-London townſhip, Cheſter county, a black HORSE, with a ſmall ſtar in his forehead, about 14 hands high, one of his hind feet white, and has a remarkable white ſpot on his near buttock, round bodied, and has not as yet caſt his hair, a natural pacer, and has a ſhort ſwitch tail. Any perſon who detects the thief, ſo that he be brought to juſtice, ſhall have Three Pounds reward, or Twenty Shillings for the HORSE only, paid by me WILLIAM M'DOWELL. §

Glouceſter Goal, in New-Jerſey, May 5, 1769.

WHEREAS the ſubſcriber hereof, having heretofore been poſſeſſed of goods and effects of ſome conſiderable value, but by the hardneſs of the times, and other misfortunes, he has been rendered incapable of ſatisfying his creditors demands, as ſome of his ſaid creditors have already ſtript him of all he had, and ſome others of his creditors are ſo relentleſs, notwithſtanding his diſtreſſed circumſtance and condition, have confined him, and refuſed to comply with any terms, till the whole of their debts are paid: Theſe are therefore to give notice to all perſons concerned, that he intends to apply at the next meeting of the General Aſſembly of this province of New-Jerſey, for relief in the premiſes.

† THOMAS WILSON.

WHEREAS in purſuance of an act of General Aſſembly of this province, intituled, an act for granting the ſum of Sixty Thouſand Pounds for the King's uſe, and for ſtriking Fifty-five Thouſand Pounds thereof in bills of Credit, and to provide a fund for ſinking the ſame, the following tract of located and unimproved land was duly valued, and rated by the Aſſeſſors, for the county of Northampton, at Five Pounds per hundred, the property of James Hayes, in the county of Suſſex, and province of Weſt New-Jerſey, viz. a tract of land, containing about 144 acres, ſituate in Delaware townſhip, in the county of Northampton; bounded by lands of Eliſha Decker, and others.

And whereas the owner of the ſaid tract of land hath neglected to pay the Collector of the ſaid townſhip, the ſum of Ten Shillings and Nine-pence, which, according to the ſaid valuation, was aſſeſſed and laid upon ſaid land, as the proportion thereof for one year for ſaid tax, by the ſaid act impoſed: We, the Commiſſioners of the county of Northampton aforeſaid, in purſuance of the ſaid act, do hereby give notice, that on the 15th day of Auguſt next, at the houſe of Jacob Swartwood, in Delaware townſhip, we will expoſe to ſale, by public vendue, the abovementioned tract of located unimproved land, or ſuch part thereof, as will be ſufficient to anſwer the ſaid tax, and all charges accruing by reaſon of non-payment thereof, to the higheſt bidder. The ſale to begin at 10 o'clock in the forenoon. Given under our hands at Eaſton, the 8th day of May, 1769. CASPER DOLL, JOHN WETZEL, HARMAN SNEIDER. ¶ 3M.

THIS is to give notice, that I, the ſubſcriber, together with JAMES MONTGOMERY, did execute a bond, bearing date the 28th day of May, 1764, conditioned for the payment of Twenty-five Pounds, payable to WILLIAM BENNET, on the 15th day of May, 1770. And whereas, before good witneſs, I have fully diſcounted and ſatisfied for ſaid bond, the ſame declared void, and under the ſaid William Bennet's hand to the ſame effect, altho' he could not then produce ſaid bond, as he ought to have done, as being ſome how miſlaid: I therefore hereby forewarn all perſons from taking any aſſignment thereof, as I am reſolved not to pay the ſame twice, except compelled thereto by law. Witneſs my hand, March 24, 1769.

§ JOHN CARSON.

N. B. There was a clauſe in ſaid bond for ſaid BENNET to make ſaid CARSON a patent, and it was for that it was diſcounted and paid.

WHEREAS ROBERT ROBESON obtained a note, dated the 21ſt of April, 1769, from the ſubſcriber hereof, for Thirty-four Pounds, which is part paid, as can be made appear by evidence, and the ſaid Robeſon not complying with the conditions agreed upon, and the ſubſcriber receiving no value, he intends not to pay the ſame: Theſe are to forewarn all perſons not to take any aſſignment of the ſame, as they may depend it will ſtand an action in law.

¶ WILLIAM SHEARER.

Lancaſter County, May 9, 1769.

WHEREAS a certain JAMES LYON did fraudulently obtain a note of me, the ſubſcriber, for the ſum of Thirteen Pounds, for which I never received the leaſt value: The public is therefore deſired to take no aſſignment of ſaid note, as I will not pay the ſame, unleſs compelled thereto by law.

¶ CHARLES ROGERS.

To be SOLD, by the Subſcriber,

A SMALL PLANTATION, on the Paſſyunk road, three-quarters of a mile from the city, containing about ten acres of choice graſs land, all in good order; it produces abundantly of the very beſt kinds of graſs; there is on it a new brick houſe, two rooms on a floor, a pump of good water, a garden, well fenced in with cedar boards, and a large barn. The whole will be ſold together, or parcelled out into ſmall lots of 2 or 3 acres each. Any reaſonable time will be allowed for the payment of the purchaſe money. CHARLES COXE. ¶

Philadelphia, April 19, 1769.

JOHN ORD, of this City, Merchant, having aſſigned to us, in Behalf of his Creditors, his Eſtate, both real and perſonal; Notice is hereby given to thoſe indebted to the ſaid Ord, by Bond, Book Account, or otherwiſe, immediately to pay off their reſpective Ballances; and thoſe who have any Demands on the ſaid Ord, are deſired to bring in their Accounts, to be adjuſted.

On Thurſday, the 18th of May next, at the London Coffee-houſe, at Six o'Clock in the Evening, will be ſold at public Sale, the Dwelling-houſe of the ſaid Ord, ſituate in Front-ſtreet, between Market and Cheſtnut-ſtreets. BENJAMIN CREW, JOHN GIBSON.

¶ 8 W.

Philadelphia bottled BEER, and CYDER,

For exportation or home conſumption, ſold by

ISAAC GRAY,

At his warehouſe in Cheſtnut-ſtreet, near Strawberry-Alley;

Where may alſo be had, in large or ſmall quantities,

OLD Jamaica ſpirits; bottled claret and red port; Madeira, Mountain and Liſbon wines, in bottles, or otherwiſe; Geneva; London bottled Porter; Cheſhire and Glouceſter cheeſe; double and ſingle refined loaf and lump ſugars; green and bohea tea; coffee; chocolate, ſpices; indigo; flour of muſtard; pepper; ginger; corks; glue; cotton; cags of raiſins; bar lead, &c. ¶ 5 W.

N. B. Beer bottles bought and ſold by the dozen and groce.

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public ſale, on Tueſday, the 23d of May, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at the houſe of John Bartolet, in Buſſeltown, a certain meſſuage, and plantation or tract of land, ſituate partly in Lower Dublin, and partly in Abington townſhip, containing 65 acres, or thereabouts, bounded by lands of Thomas Bourne, William Watkins, and others; late the eſtate of Iſaac Taylor; ſeized and taken in execution by

JOSEPH REDMAM, Sheriff.

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public ſale, on Tueſday, the 23d of May, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at the houſe of John Bartolet, in Buſſeltown, a certain ſtone meſſuage, and lot or piece of ground, ſituate in Smithfield, in the Manor of Moreland, containing one acre and a half, and 20 ſquare perches, be the ſame more or leſs; bounded by the Southampton road, and lands of John Adkins, Abel Walton, and others; late the eſtate of John Dorland and wife; ſeized and taken in execution by

JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public ſale, on Thurſday, the 25th of May, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, on the premiſes, a certain plantation, or tract of land, ſituate in the townſhip of Plymouth, containing about 18 acres, and 24 perches; bounded by lands of Alexander Liſle, Barnabas Coulſton, John Coulſton, and the Great Manatawny road, having a two ſtory ſtone dwelling-houſe, ſtone barn, ſtables, &c. erected thereon; late the eſtate of William Lawrence; ſeized and taken in execution by JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public ſale, on Friday, the 26th of May, at the London Coffee-Houſe, at 7 o'clock in the evening, a certain brick meſſuage, and lot of ground, ſituate on the eaſt ſide of Third-ſtreet, in the city of Philadelphia, containing in breadth 19 feet, and in depth 140 feet; bounded weſtward by Third-ſtreet aforeſaid, northward by John Clifton's ground, eaſtward by the next deſcribed lot, and ſouthward by ground of John Thornhill, and others. Alſo a certain wooden ſhop, and lot of ground, ſituate the diſtance of 140 feet eaſtward from the eaſt ſide of Third-ſtreet, containing in breadth 55 feet, and in depth 55 feet; bounded northward by ground late of William Branſon, eaſtward with back lots, ſouthward with a lot of Thomas Griffith, and weſtward with the aforeſaid lot; late the eſtate of Henry Clifton; ſeized and taken in execution by

JOSEPH REDMAN. Sheriff.

BY virtue of ſeveral writs to me directed, on the 19th day of May next, at the late dwelling-houſe of George May, in the townſhip of Great Egg-Harbour, will be expoſed to ſale, by public vendue, between the hours of 12 and 5 in the afternoon of ſaid day, the following deſcribed tracts and lots of land, meadow, and cedar ſwamp, viz. No. 1, contains 127 acres, on which is a good two ſtory frame dwelling-houſe and barn, with about 20 acres of cleared land, a griſt-mill and ſaw-mill, in good repair, on a large ſtream of water, ſituate on the northerly ſide of Great Egg-Harbour river, near the head of the tide; within a quarter of a mile from ſaid mills is a very convenient landing, where ſea veſſels can go and come full freighted. No. 2, is 100 acres of timber land, and includes the abovementioned landing. No. 3, is 101 acres of cedar ſwamp, about a mile from the above mills, lying on Badcock's creek, which is full of timber. No. 4, is 50 acres of marſh, on the oppoſite ſide of the river to the firſt lot, which is now banked, and makes good meadow. No. 5, is 50 acres of land and marſh, on the ſouth weſt ſide of the river, at a place called the Upper Pine Hammock. No. 6, is 50 acres of cedar ſwamp, on Gravelly Run, about 3 miles from the ſaid mills. No. 7, is 46 acres of land, and cedar ſwamp, lying on the ſaid river, including a landing, called Colt's Landing. Alſo 125 acres of cedar ſwamp, in two tracts, a few miles from ſaid mills. Throughout the above tracts of land, in many places, is found large quantities of iron ore, and the ſtream on which the mills are built, being ſufficient, it is thought a valuable iron work might be erected there, and its ſituation would render the exportation of it very convenient. Any perſon inclining to purchaſe, may view the premiſes, by applying to Charles Steelman, or Samuel Snell, near the ſame. Credit will be given for two thirds of the purchaſe money, with paying intereſt. The whole late the real eſtate of ſaid George May; ſeized in execution, and to be ſold by SAMUEL BLACKWOOD, Sheriff.

N. B. At the ſame time will be ſold, a quantity of Weſt-Jerſey rights. Glouceſter, April 27, 1769.

Drummore Townſhip, Lancaſter County, April 10, 1769.

To be ſold by way of public vendue, at the late dwelling-houſe of John Long, Store-keeper, in Drummore townſhip, Lancaſter county, on Saturday, the 20th day of May next, at 2 o' clock in the afternoon,

A PLANTATION and TRACT of warranted LAND, containing about 226 acres, ſituate in the ſaid townſhip of Drummore, now in the poſſeſſion of John Carſon, and belonging to the ſaid John Long, who has abſented himſelf from thoſe parts, without paying his creditors; which land is ſeized by attachment, and to be ſold by the ſubſcribers, as auditors appointed by the Court of Common Pleas, held for the ſaid county; and attendance will be given for that purpoſe, by us

ISAAC SAUNDERS, GEORGE M'CULLOUGH,

¶ and THOMAS PORTER, Auditors.

THE COUNTRY SEAT late of William Coleman, Eſq; within 4 Miles of the City of Philadelphia, on the Weſt Side of Wiſſahickon Road, will be ſold by public Vendue; it contains about 12 Acres, with a Houſe of 3 Rooms on a Floor, finiſhed in a neat Manner; an Out-houſe ſuitable for a Tenant, built of Stone, with 4 Fire-places, 2 on each Floor, and a Cellar under the whole, a good Stone Chair-houſe and Stable, a handſome Garden, a thriving Orchard of good Apple Trees, and other Fruit, and a Well of excellent Water. The whole Place being under good Poſt and Rail and Palliſadoe Fence. The Sale to be on the Premiſes at 3 o'Clock on Thurſday, the 18th of May inſt. Several Years Credit will be allowed for the whole, if required, on giving ſufficient Security, and paying Intereſt.

STRAYED, or ſtolen, from the Subſcriber, living in Weſt Whiteland townſhip, Cheſter county, the 26th of April, a bright bay mare, ſuppoſed to be 7 or 8 years old, a ſmall round body, black mane and tail, has a ſmall ſtar in her forehead, bob tail, branded on the near thigh P W, a natural pacer, goes very light, ſhod before, is very ſhy, and hard to catch. Whoever takes up the ſaid mare, and ſecures her, ſo that the owner may get her again, ſhall have Twenty Shillings reward; but if ſtolen, and will ſecure both mare and thief, ſo that he ſhall be brought to juſtice, Three Pounds, and reaſonable charges, paid by JOHN RIGG. §

To be SOLD, by public VENDUE,

On the 31ſt day of May inſt.

A VERY valuable tract of LAND, called Dunkeil, lying in Baltimore county, within a few Miles of Baltimore-Town, conſiſting of 599 acres, well ſituated for the navigable rivers of Buſh and Gunpowder; the land is exceeding well timbered, and the ſoil extremely fertile, equal to any in the county; there are ſeveral bottoms, which may be eaſily made into very valuable meadow, and contain ſeveral ſtreams of water; about 250 acres of upland are cleared, quite freſh, and not more than two ſeaſons in cultivation. There are ſeveral improvements, which, with a ſmall expence, may be made very valuable, and no ſituation better adapted for a farm. The title to ſaid land is indiſputable, Six months credit (without intereſt) will be allowed, on giving ſecurity. A general warrantee will be given to the purchaſer at the time of payment. For further particulars, enquire of JOHN PACA, of Baltimore county; WILLIAM PACA, in the city of Annapolis; or WILLIAM TOD, in Philadelphia; of whom they may receive any further information.

To be ſold by way of public vendue, on the firſt day of June next, on the premiſes, in the village of Artleborough, commonly called The Four Lanes End, in Bucks county,

A LOT of GROUND, containing about one quarter of an acre, on which there is a good two ſtory ſtone-houſe and kitchen, having two rooms on a floor, a good cellar under the ſame; one other houſe adjoining the kitchen, 40 feet long, and 20 wide, divided into two rooms for a ſtore-houſe and ſhop, with ſhelves in the ſame, ſufficient to hold a large quantity of goods, a large garret over the ſame, a framed chair and waggon-houſe, and ſmoak-houſe. One other lot of about 4 acres, with an orchard of upwards of 80 apple trees, a number of peach and cherry trees, a nurſery of above 1000 young apple trees, good ſtable and barrack on the ſaid lot; it is pleaſantly ſituated in a good part of the country for almoſt any public buſineſs, about 22 miles from Philadelphia, 7 from Briſtol, and 4 from Newtown; the buildings very good, and convenient for ſtore-keeping, or would ſuit a tradeſman of any kind. The conditions of payment will be made eaſy, and known at the time and place of ſale, by

‡4 w. JOHN THORNTON.

Juſt IMPORTED by

DAVID SPROAT, and Company,

And now opening at their Store, in Front-ſtreet, between Cheſtnut and Walnut-ſtreets, a large and neat Aſſortment of MERCHANDIZE, which they will ſell on the loweſt Terms, viz.

A VARIETY of plain and flowered ſilk gauzes, with flowered bordered aprons and handkerchiefs of the neateſt and neweſt patterns, black and white catgut, thread gauzes, long lawns, check and kenting handkerchiefs, plain and flowered lawns, diaper and table linen, printed cottons and handkerchiefs; a large aſſortment of mens, womens and youths knit thread ſtockings, Iriſh and Scots linens, broadcloths, ſhalloons and buckrams, Scots carpets and carpeting, checks, oxenbrigs, dowlas and bed tick; a full aſſortment of the beſt white and coloured Scots threads, ſtriped and brown hollands, Tartan plaids, womens ſtays, garters, bindings and tapes, mens ſhoes and boots, womens leather and ſtuff ſhoes, ivory and horn combs, Clarke's leather powder flaſks, ſhot bags and pen caſes, beſt Scotch ſnuff in bottles and bladders; an aſſortment of ſadlery, cutlery and hard ware; delph ware in hogſheads ſorted; new faſhion wine decanters, with ground ſtoppers, double flint pint and half pint tumblers and wine glaſſes, iron caſt work, conſiſting of camp ovens, with falſe bottoms, compleat; iron pots, ſaucepans, ſkillets, tea kettles and ſad irons, iron grates, ſuitable for chambers or ſtores, nails, and choice Scotch ale and porter in bottles, &c. &c.

Alſo a quantity of Carolina pitch, turpentine and roſin. 3 M.

ABRAHAM USHER,

HAS removed into Front-ſtreet, the fifth door above Walnut-ſtreet, to the ſtore Meſſieurs John and Lambert Cadwalader lately left, and has juſt imported in the laſt veſſels from London, Liverpool and Glaſgow; a large and general Aſſortment of European and Eaſt-India Goods, ſuitable for the ſeaſon, which he will ſell on the moſt reaſonable terms for caſh, or ſhort credit. 6 W.

To the PUBLIC,

JOHN ORD, has ſet up the Scrivener's buſineſs, and hereby gives notice, that any Gentleman, deſirous to buy or ſell eſtates, houſes, lands, yearly rent charges, annuities, &c. or to borrow or lend Money on good ſecurity, may be aſſiſted therein, by applying to him at his office, in Front-ſtreet, between Market and Cheſtnut-ſtreets, where their buſineſs will be tranſacted with the greateſt care, diſpatch and ſecrecy. Thoſe who pleaſe to favour him in placing out their Money at intereſt, may be aſſured, that he will procure them undoubted ſecurity by mortgage or otherwiſe.

Said ORD, upon application, will, with accuracy, peruſe and examine titles to lands, &c. and inform the poſſeſſors or owners of the deeds relating to ſuch lands, of any defect in their titles, alſo what will be needful to ſupply or remedy ſuch defects.

JOHN ORD.

N. B. Said ORD has ſeveral title deeds, belonging to divers Perſons, who left them with Mr. John Reily, deceaſed; the owners are deſired to apply to him for them. The

To be SOLD,

A NEAT CHARIOT,

LINED with light coloured cloth, painted green, gilt pannels, ſteel ſprings, iron axles, harneſs for a pair or four horſes, and very little the worſe for wear, having run only twelve months round this city. Enquire of the PRINTERS.

RUN away laſt night, from Newport, New-Caſtle county, upon Delaware, an Iriſh woman, named CATHERINE M'CLURE, a ſhort thick ſet woman, black hair, full eyes, has a kind of a liſp in her ſpeech, about 23 years of age; had on and took with her, when ſhe went away, a brown camblet gown, about half worn, a ſtriped linſey bed gown, one of ſtriped linen and cotton, and one of white linen, one ſtriped linſey petticoat, and one ditto of blue calimancoe, a chip hat, linen bonnet, and two pair of ſhoes. She had a young child, about 6 weeks old, and came in the night into an out kitchen of mine, and left the child, which was almoſt periſhed with cold, before it was perceived. Whoever takes up ſaid Catherine M'Clure, and ſecures her in any of his Majeſty's goals, ſo that ſhe may be brought to juſtice, ſhall have Twenty Shillings reward, and reaſonable charges, paid by me ROBERT SLATER. †

Imported in the laſt Veſſels from London, &c. A large Aſſortment of European and India Goods, to be diſpoſed of, on reaſonable Terms, for Caſh or ſhort Credit, by

JOSEPH SIMS,

At his Store, below the Drawbridge.

Said Sims has alſo to diſpoſe of, a large Copper STILL, and Worm for Ditto, which he will ſell very cheap. ‡

TO be SOLD at BENJAMIN KENDALL's ſtore, next door to the Tun and Croſs-Keys tavern, the corner of Third and Cheſtnut-ſtreets, wholeſale and retail, a large quantity of FLAX and HEMP, ready dreſſed, at the loweſt Prices. ¶

TO BE SOLD,

A LIKELY NEGROE GIRL, who has about three years to ſerve. Enquire of the Printers. ‡

PHILADELPHIA: Printed by DAVID HALL, and WILLIAM SELLERS, at the NEW PRINTING-OFFICE, near the *Market*.

I SAW, the other day, in the Pennſylvania Chronicle, a ſhort ſtate of the Connecticut peoples claim to the lands at Wioming, on the Saſquehanna; and as there are many very material facts and circumſtances, relating to the title of thoſe lands, which are not inſerted therein, the following (which perhaps may explain the ſubject) may ſerve to divert the unwary adventurer in lands, from running into difficulties from which he may not find it eaſy to diſengage himſelf.

In the year 1662, at the time of the Connecticut charter, the Dutch, then in amity with the crown of England, were in poſſeſſion of what is now called the province of New-York, and alſo of the South River, now called Delaware, on both ſides of it; all which were ſurrendered to the crown of England, in the year 1664, and were alſo ceded by the treaty of 1674.

The countries which the Dutch had poſſeſſed on the continent, with ſome other tracts of land, were granted to the Duke of York, who, ſoon after the ſurrender of 1664, took poſſeſſion of the ſettlements of the North and South Rivers, and confirmed the old Dutch grants, and made new ones, as well on the weſt as the eaſt ſide of Delaware.

In the year 1664, commiſſioners were appointed by the crown, to ſettle, among other matters, the boundary between the colony of Connecticut, and the territory of the Duke of York, which boundary was eſteemed the weſtern limits of Connecticut; they accordingly made the following ſettlement, which was agreed to by the Governor and Aſſembly of Connecticut.

BY virtue of His Majeſty's commiſſion, we have heard the difference about the bounds of the patents granted to his Royal Highneſs the Duke of York, and His Majeſty's colony of Connecticut, and having diliberately conſidered all the reaſons alledged by Mr. Allen, ſenior, Mr. Gold, Mr. Richards, and Captain Winthrop, appointed by the Aſſembly, held at Hartford, the 13th of October, 1664, to accompany John Winthrop, Eſq; the Governor of His Majeſty's colony of Connecticut, to New-York, and to agree upon the bounds of the ſaid colony, why the ſaid Long Iſland ſhould be under the government of Connecticut (which are too long here to be recited) we do declare and order, that the ſouthern bounds of His Majeſty's colony of Connecticut, is the ſea, and that Long Iſland is to be under the government of his Royal Highneſs the Duke of York, as is expreſſed by plain words in the ſaid patents reſpectively, and alſo by virtue of His Majeſty's commiſſion, and by conſent of both the Governors and the gentlemen above named.

We order and declare, that the creek or river called Mamaroneck, which is reputed to be about thirteen miles to the eaſt of Weſt-Cheſter, and a line drawn from the eaſt point or ſide where the freſh water falls into the ſalt, at high-water mark, north north weſt, to the line of the Maſſachuſetts, be the weſtern bounds of the ſaid colony of Connecticut, and all plantations lying weſtward of that creek and line ſo drawn, to be under his Royal Highneſs's government, and all plantations lying eaſtward of that creek and line, to be under the government of Connecticut.

Given under our hands, at James Fort in New-York, on the iſland of Manhattens, this firſt day of December, 1664.

RICHARD NICHOLLS, S. MAVERICKE.
GEORGE CARTWRIGHT,

WE, the Governor, and Commiſſioners of the General Aſſembly of Connecticut, do give our conſent to the limits and bounds above mentioned; as witneſs our hands,

JOHN WINTHROP, ------- GOLD,
------ ALLEN, ſenior, JOHN WINTHROP, jun.
------ RICHARDS,

This boundary was thought to be unfavourably ſettled for the Duke of York, and it was afterwards altered by the Governors of New-York and Connecticut, in the year 1683, and run ſoon after, and confirmed by King William in council, in 1700; and in conſequence of this confirmation it was, as I have been informed, run again, as it now ſtands, in the year 1731.

The boundary between New-York and Connecticut, was always taken to be the weſtern limits of the latter, until a company of private people in Connecticut, about the year 1754, took up an opinion that their province extended weſtward to the South Sea (according to ſome expreſſions in the grant) and in the ſame year, 1754, at the time of the treaty of Albany, without any authority from their government, they attempted to make a purchaſe of the Delaware and Saſquehanna lands of the Six Nations, who refuſed both them and the proprietors of Pennſylvania, notwithſtanding which, they did obtain of ſome of the Indians then at Albany, in a private manner, a deed for thoſe lands, which I ſhall hereafter take occaſion to mention; and ſome time after, without any authority of government, began to make ſettlements on thoſe lands, in which they were oppoſed by the proprietors of Pennſylvania.

In 1761 the proprietors laid the caſe of the Connecticut intruſions, and the extent of the charter of that colony, before the preſent Lord Chancellor of England, the Lord Campden, then Attorney-general, who gave his opinion as follows.

IF all the colonies in North America were to remain at this day bounded, in point of right, as they are deſcribed in the original grants of each, I do not believe there is one ſettlement in that part of the globe, that has not, in ſome meaſure, either been encroached upon, or elſe uſurped upon its neighbours; ſo that, if the grants were of themſelves the only rule between the contending plantations, there never could be an end of their diſputes, without unſettling large tracts of land, where the inhabitants have no better title to produce, than either poſſeſſion or poſterior grants, which, in point of law, would be ſuperſeded by prior charters; hence I conceive that many other circumſtances muſt be taken into conſideration beſides the parchment boundary, for that may at this day be extended or narrowed by poſſeſſion, acquieſcence or agreement, by the ſituation and condition of the territory at the time of the grant, as well as by various other matters. With reſpect to the preſent diſpute, the weſtern boundary of Connecticut was barred at the time of the original grant, by the Dutch ſettlement, and the crown were deceived when they were prevailed upon to convey a territory which belonged to another ſtate, then in amity with the crown of England; beſides this objection, the ſettlement of the new boundary under the King's commiſſion, in 1664, and what is ſtill ſtronger, the new line marked out by agreement between this province and New-York, has now concluſively precluded Connecticut from advancing one foot beyond theſe limits.

It was abſolutely neceſſary for the crown, after the ceſſion of New Netherlands, to decide the claſhing rights of the Duke of York and the adjoining colonies, and therefore all that was done by virtue of that commiſſion then awarded for that purpoſe, muſt at this day be deemed valid, as the nations have, ever ſince that time, ſubmitted to thoſe determinations, and the colonies of New-York and Jerſey, ſubmit only upon the authority of thoſe acts.

I am of opinion, therefore, that the province of Connecticut has no right to reſume their ancient boundary, by overleaping the province of New-York, or to encroach upon the Pennſylvania grant, which was not made till after the Connecticut boundary had been reduced by new confines, which reſtored the lands beyond thoſe ſettlements weſtward, to the crown, and laid them open to a new grant. The ſtate of the country in diſpute, is a material ſtate reaſon why the crown ought to interpoſe in the preſent caſe, and put a ſtop to this growing miſchief. But I doubt this buſineſs cannot be adjuſted very ſoon, becauſe Mr. Penn muſt apply to the crown for relief, which method of proceeding will neceſſarily take up time, as the province of Connecticut muſt have notice, and be heard.

C. PRATT. *March* 7, 1761.

The Duke of York having a grant, and being in poſſeſſion of the land ceded to the crown by the Dutch, was apprized of, and conſenting to the grant of Pennſylvania, which was to lay weſtward of the river Delaware; and the firſt proprietor was adviſed by his council, that as the Duke had a grant of all the countries which had been poſſeſſed by the Dutch before the ceſſion to the crown of Great-Britain, and the Delaware was within thoſe poſſeſſions, it would be proper to obtain the Duke's releaſe of his right to the Province of Pennſylvania, which was accordingly obtained in the year 1682.

In the year 1736, the Indians of the Six Nations releaſed all the land on each ſide the river Saſquehanna, from the mouth thereof, as far northward or upwards as that ridge of hills, called Tyoninhaſachta or Endleſs Mountains, weſtward to the ſetting of the ſun, and eaſtward to the fartheſt ſprings of the waters running into the ſaid river; and by the ſame deed covenanted, as they had done at ſundry times before, that neither they, nor their poſterity, would ever ſell or diſpoſe of any land within the province of Pennſylvania, to any, ſave to the proprietors and their children.

So early as the year 1700, an act of aſſembly (ſtill in force) was made, declaring all deeds void, which ſhould be made by the Indians, of lands within the province, to any but the proprietors.

In the year 1754, at the treaty of Albany, the commiſſioners of Pennſylvania very ſtrongly ſolicited the Indians of the Six Nations to make a grant of the Saſquehanna lands and Delaware lands, then unpurchaſed, but they then declared they would not allow them to be ſettled, but would reſerve them for their hunting quarters, and inſiſted that the proprietors ſhould neither ſettle them themſelves, nor ſuffer others to do it; and appointed an Indian, John Shiccalamy, who reſided near Shamokin, to overſee that part of the country, that no ſettlement ſhould be made on it. At the ſame time they confirmed the deed of 1736, and renewed their engagements not to ſell to any but the proprietors. The agents from Connecticut, at the treaty of Albany, were apprized of Mr. Penn's title to the Saſquehanna lands, and did not pretend to make a purchaſe of the Indians in that open and public manner that all Indian purchaſes, of any force or validity, are tranſacted. It may be true, that they did obtain a deed of ſome Indians there, but it is well known to have been done in a clandeſtine manner, by the intervention of one Lydius, a perſon who had abjured the Proteſtant religion in Canada, and was ſtrongly ſuſpected to be in the French intereſt; and it was at that time commonly reported in Albany, that he kept a deed open at his houſe, and procured the Indians to ſign it ſingly, for particular ſums of money given to each, as he could find them under the influence of ſtrong liquors, and it is the more probable that this was the caſe, as it is certain, that ſome time after, the Indians of the Six Nations, at the Onondago council, diſavowed this deed as fraudulent, as they did again in public, at the treaties of Eaſton and Fort Stanwix; and upon the ſettlements being made, by the people of Connecticut, on the Saſquehanna and Delaware, the Indians were greatly offended, and frequently complained to the Governor of Pennſylvania, that he ought to remove thoſe people, according to the proprietor's agreements not to ſuffer ſettlements to be made on thoſe lands; and at length, in the year 1763, cut off thoſe ſettlers. The intruſions of theſe people were laid before the Governors of Connecticut, at different times, by the Governors of Pennſylvania, and they as often gave aſſurances that the adventurers had not any countenance from the government.

Upon a view of the above ſtate, the Connecticut claim appears to be without foundation in law or equity.

The claim, by the extent of their charter, is groundleſs, according to Lord Campden's opinion, as the grant at firſt could not operate beyond the Dutch ſettlements to the weſtward; and if it could at firſt, it was precluded by the ſettlement in 1664 and 1683, and the long acquieſcence which followed: The lands in conteſt therefore cannot be ſaid to be within the province of Connecticut; they muſt of courſe be taken to be within Pennſylvania, the bounds of which undoubtedly include them, and then any Indian purchaſes the people of Connecticut can ſet up, are void by the act of aſſembly above ſtated; moreover thoſe purchaſes want the ſolemnity of an open and public tranſaction in council, which the Indians always eſteem neceſſary to give force and validity to their deeds; they have accordingly been diſavowed as private and fraudulent, by the Indians in their public councils; and if they had been ever ſo fairly tranſacted, the lands intended to be purchaſed, were liable to prior engagements and contracts with the proprietors of Pennſylvania, which were well known to thoſe who made the Connecticut purchaſes.

May 1, 1769. G. H.

PLOCKZO, February 10.

WE are aſſured, that a Body of 5000 Confederates have been totally defeated by a Party of Ruſſians in the Neighbourhood of Kalick; theſe barbarous Inſurgents attacked 500 of the Empreſs's Troops in an open Field; but a Party of Coſſacks having planted two Pieces of Cannon upon a little Eminence, galled the Confederates with ſo much Succeſs, that they were forced to make a precipitate Retreat into an adjacent Wood, which was partly inveſted by the Ruſſians, who cut down ſeveral of the Trees, by which the Rebels were expoſed to a continualFire from their Artillery, which killed and wounded great Numbers of them.

Warſaw, Feb. 4. From the warlike Preparations making by the Ruſſians and the Ottoman Porte, we can foreſee that the firſt Campaign will be very ſharp, and very bloody.

Berlin, Feb. 14. We hear that the different Parties who aſſume the Diſtinction of Confederates of Poland, dare not approach the Confines of the King's Dominions, either on the Side of the Marche or that of Sileſia.

Conſtantinople, January 3. Many Turkiſh Soldiers, Natives of this City, who have been for ſome Months paſt on the Frontiers of the Empire, on the Side of Moldavia, are returned from thence. The Reaſon for which, they alledge, is the Rigour of the Climate; adding, that though they have had Meat and Rice, yet they were in Want of Coffee, a Beverage which they cannot do without; and beſides, that they had not ſeen one Enemy.

It is to be feared that they will be followed by many others; and, it is to be remarked, that Deſertion is not puniſhed among the Ottoman Troops; every Soldier may retire from Service when he pleaſes, without loſing his Pay.

From the LONDON GAZETTE.

St. JAMES's, March 6.

The following Addreſs of the Lord Lieutenant and Nobility, High Sheriff, Grand Jury, Gentlemen, and Clergy of the County of Eſſex, was this Day preſented to his Majeſty by Daniel Matthew, Eſq; High Sheriff of the ſaid County, being introduced by the Lord of His Majeſty's Bed-Chamber in Waiting, which Addreſs was moſt graciouſly received.

To the KING's moſt EXCELLENT MAJESTY,

The humble Addreſs of the Lord Lieutenant and Nobility, High Sheriff, Grand Jury, Gentlemen, and Clergy, aſſembled at the Aſſizes held at Chelmsford, in and for the County of Eſſex, on Thurſday, the Second Day of March, One Thouſand Seven Hundred and Sixty-nine.

Moſt gracious SOVEREIGN,

WHILST we feel the happy Effects, and retain in our Breaſts a moſt grateful Senſe of the Mildneſs and Benignity of Your Majeſty's Government, we cannot ſee, without the utmoſt Abhorrence, the Spirit of Sedition and Licentiouſneſs, which has lately manifeſted itſelf in ſuch various Shapes, with Deſign to leſſen the Reſpect and Affection due to Your Majeſty, to traduce and miſrepreſent Your Parliament, and to draw into Contempt the Authority of the Courts of Juſtice, which in no Time were more happily or more eminently ſupplied.

Every Part of the Conduct of theſe Diſturbers of the public Repoſe, appears to us as weak and unreaſonable, as it is wicked; yet we think ſuch Proceedings, if not timely checked, may operate to ſubvert the Conſtitution, and deſtroy that Liberty, which has been made the ſpecious but falſe Pretence for committing Outrages of the moſt dangerous and alarming Kind.---Already the Metropolis hath been frightened from its Security, Your Majeſty's Repoſe in the Seat of Your Government hath been moſt inſolently invaded, and the lawful Adminiſtration of Juſtice violently obſtructed. It therefore becomes our Duty, as Friends to the Conſtitution, and faithful Subjects to Your Majeſty, to lay theſe our Sentiments at the Foot of Your Throne, relying, with the firmeſt Confidence, on Your Majeſty's Wiſdom and Juſtice, for the Exertion of ſuch prudent and vigorous Meaſures as may reſtore Peace and good Order amongſt us. And we do aſſure Your Majeſty, that being fully perſuaded, that the Preſervation of the public Tranquility, and our own Safety, are inſeparable from the Security of Your Majeſty's Government, we are determined, at the Riſque of our Lives and Properties, to ſupport Your Royal Authority in ſuppreſſing and ſubduing all ſeditious and riotous Attempts, which threaten Deſtruction to the State, and diſturb the Happineſs and Honour of Your Reign."

LONDON.

Feb. 14. Letters from Cadiz mention, that 96 public Edifices, and 4048 Houſes, were totally deſtroyed by the late Hurricane at the Havanna.

Feb. 16. We hear that the Prince and Princeſs of Brunſwick are expected here again early in the Spring.

We hear a certain popular Gentleman has lately received a very conſiderable Preſent from the Members of the French Academy.

One Day laſt Week Mr. Wilkes was admitted a Member of the Antient and Honourable Society of Hiccobites, at the Mermaid, in Doctors Commons, and the next Day ſome of the Members waited on that Gentleman, at the King's Bench Priſon, with the Inſignia of the Order. We are informed, that the Motto to the above Society is, *Hic et Ubique*: And that when Mr. Wilkes received the Inſignia, he very pleaſantly ſaid, "Gentlemen, though I am now only *Hic*, I hope ſoon to be *Ubique*."

The Writer of a Letter, publiſhed this Morning, addreſſed to the Livery of London, obſerves, That the Nation is indebted 140 Millions; and that to pay the Intereſt of this Sum, all the Neceſſaries of Life are moſt grievouſly burthened with Taxes; he therefore adviſes the Livery to inſtruct their Members again, and to add this new Article to thoſe in their former Inſtructions, viz.

"Inſiſt, ſays he, on their enquiring by what Right the Eaſt-India Company preſume to withhold the Aſiatic Territories from his Majeſty, whoſe Beneficence is ready to apply them to the Eaſe of his Subjects, and the reinſtating the Power of his Kingdoms, if they are found to be unjuſtly retained, which I am confident is the Truth; there will then reſult to Government, the clear annual Revenue of at leaſt Three Millions; and theſe applied to the raiſing Money by Annuities, or in what other Method the Legiſlature ſhall think fit, will neceſſarily alleviate a Multitude of the preſent Taxes in a very ſhort Time, and the whole of them in no long Duration. The Duties on Beer, Coals, Candles, Soap, Salt, Leather, and a Variety of others, which are moſt oppreſſive on the Poor, may be ſpeedily removed; the Trade and Manufactures of the Kingdom will be revived, and the Nation empowered to look every Enemy in the Face, with the Conſciouſneſs of ſufficient Strength to ſupport a War, and to carry their native Bravery into Execution."

Feb. 18. Letters from Naples mention, that a Paper has lately appeared there, which is likely to occaſion very great Stir at Rome. This Paper contains a printed Petition to the King; to engage his Majeſty to re-unite to the Crown, the Right of Patronage over all the Churches in this Kingdom, which are poſſeſſed of royal Fiefs or Eſtates. The Petition has ſince been followed by an ample Memorial, in which the received Principles whereon his Majeſty's Right to them are founded, are diſcuſſed in ſo maſterly a Manner, that it is imagined the Reſumption will take Place. In ſhort, they expect there little leſs than the Renewal of the Days of Henry VIII. in the Seizure of moſt, if not all, the Abbey Land; for which Purpoſe the Matter of the ſaid Petition is to be immediately laid before the Junto of Abuſes.

A Letter from a Gentleman at Warſaw, dated Jan. 22, ſays, "Notwithſtanding the Reports to the contrary, you may depend upon it, that the Confederates increaſe daily, and have lately been very ſucceſsful in ſome of their Enterprizes. As they have already ſpread Confuſion and Terror wherever they come, what muſt be the Fate of the poor Diſſidents, when theſe Fanatics are ſtrengthened by the Turks and Tartars! The King and ſome of the Nobility, however, take the moſt effectual Steps imaginable, to prevent the Conſequences that may enſue from the inveterate Spirit of theſe Inſurgents."

A very ſenſible and pathetic Letter has been received from a Lady lately abſconded, in which ſhe acknowledges great Gratitude to the Perſon to whom it was addreſſed; and, that the Step ſhe has at preſent taken, was in Conſequence of ſo ſtrong an Attachment to a certain Gentleman, that had ſhe not purſued this Meaſure, it might have affected her Life; that therefore finding it impoſſible to be happy without the Poſſeſſion of that Gentleman, ſhe thought proper thus publicly to withdraw herſelf, rather than clandeſtinely raiſe to the Name and Fortune of the former Perſon a number of illegitimate Children; and this Reſolution ſtill further led her to confeſs her Suſpicions reſpecting her laſt Child.

Yeſterday two wealthy Jew Merchants had a long Conference with Mr. Wilkes, at his Apartments in the King's Bench Priſon.

Feb. 21. It has been jocoſely ſaid, that a Piece of Ground is taken near Brentford, to erect a Sett of Buildings in the Nature of Barracks, for the Uſe of the Freeholders of Middleſex, that they may be ready on the Spot to attend the ſeveral Elections, that are likely to be held, for electing a Member for the ſaid County.

We hear from Carnarvon, in Wales, that a few Days ago was married at that Place, Davy Davis, a labouring Man, aged 96, to a Widow of that Town, aged 84. The Children and Grand Children of the Bride and Bridegroom, who attended the Wedding, were 48 in Number.

The laſt advices from Sweden tell us, that at the extra dyet, which is ſpeedily to be held at Stockholm, the authority of the Crown, which is at preſent very much limited, will, by the general concurrence of the kingdom, be much enlarged.

Several Engliſh young noblemen and gentlemen are preparing, we hear, to embark for Germany, in their way to Ruſſia, in order to join the Ruſſian army, as volunteers, and make a campaign againſt the Turks.

February 23.

When Sir Robert Walpole was expelled the Houſe, the Parliaments were *triennial*, and Sir Robert was expelled in the very laſt ſeſſion of one of thoſe Parliaments. Sir Robert was a Candidate again, and oppoſed by Mr. Taylor; Sir Robert had the majority, and was declared duly elected. The Houſe reſolved that Sir Robert was not capacitated to ſit in that Parliament, but they reſolved alſo that Mr. Taylor was not choſen. The Houſe was near its diſſolution, and no writ was therefore iſſued for the choice of a member in the room of Sir Robert; and in the new Parliament that followed, Sir Robert was again choſen, and took his ſeat without oppoſition.

The Eaſt-India Country Ship, lately taken by two Arabian Cruizers at the Entrance of the Gulf of Perſia, was called the Bimlapatam. She is the fourth Veſſel taken within three Months between Baſſora and Bombay.

It is confidently aſſerted, that 12 patriotic Gentlemen have entered into an Agreement, generouſly to ſupport the popular Priſoner, for Life, by an Allowance of 12 Guineas per Week.---How much more lucky, could the Number be multiplied to juſt 45!

March 4.

Extract of a Letter from Plymouth, February 26.

"Laſt Night his Majeſty's Frigate Gibraltar, parted from her Moorings between the Iſland and the Main, and drove on the Rocks under the weſtermoſt Point of the Hoe, where ſhe now lies, with the Loſs of her Bowſprit, and all her Maſts, but it is thought the Hull and Stores will be ſaved."

A certain great Lawyer, who was retained on the Douglaſs Side, in the late Cauſe, having *ſanguinely* ſaid, that in caſe he ſhould loſe it, he would conſent to be hanged at the top of the Monument; was ſmartly told by a Lady in company, *We ſhall then, Sir, have the Satisfaction of literally ſeeing you Chief Juſtice in* AIR.

The Reaſon aſſigned for a late lucrative Appointment, is, that the Party had ſeemed diſſatisfied for ſome time before, and it was feared that he would take Part with the Oppoſition.

TO BE SOLD,

By the SUBSCRIBER, and may be entered upon next Fall,

A VALUABLE PLANTATION, and TRACT of LAND, containing 243 acres, situate on the river Delaware, in the townſhip of Cheſter, in the County of Burlington, Weſt-Jerſey, about 10 miles from Cooper's Ferries, by land, and about the ſame diſtance from Philadelphia, by water; there is on ſaid premiſes, a good two ſtory framed houſe, a good kitchen, ſtone ſmoke-houſe, and ſundry other convenient buildings, a ſmall apple-orchard, and ſundry other fruit trees, about 60 or 70 acres of upland cleared, and within good fence, which is very fertile for grain, or market truck; there is alſo about 20 acres of excellent meadow cleared, moſt part of which is under green graſs and Timothy, and well ſecured from the tide, about 30 acres more may be made. The title is indiſputable. Any perſon inclinable to purchaſe, may know the terms, by applying to the Subſcriber, living on the premiſes, ISAAC ROGERS. §

THOMAS WEST,

Has removed from Market-ſtreet, into Second-ſtreet, between Market and Cheſtnut-ſtreets; where he has to ſell, Wholeſale and Retail, on very low Terms, for ready Money,

A LARGE Aſſortment of MERCHANDIZE, ſuitable for the Seaſon. 3 m.

MITCHELL and MURRAY,

Have now brought up to their Store, at Newtown, in Bucks County, the following large and general Aſſortment of European, Eaſt and Weſt-India GOODS, the principal Part of which they have imported on the beſt Terms from the Manufacturers in England, and will ſell nearly at prime Coſt, being determined to ſupply the Country lower than has been done there for many Years paſt, for ready Money only,

SUPERFINE, middling, and coarſe broadcloths; German ſerges; Wilton cloths; ſaggathies; duroys; naps; bearſkins; rattinets; ſhaloons; durants; tammies; camblets; croſs-barred ſtuffs; callimancoes; plain and flowered ſtuffs; poplins; ſilverets and meſſinets; Yorkſhire plains; motly hunters; half-thicks; rugs; blankets; red and white flannels, emboſſed ſerges; Mecklenburgs; ſtriped linceys; ſtriped cottons; long ells; blue duffils; black, blue, and cloth coloured ſtocking breeches patterns; worſted damaſks; flaxen, hempen, and Scotch ozenbrigs; Ruſſia drillings; ravens duck; brown and white Ruſſia ſheetings; Iriſh ſheetings; dowlas; 3-qr. and 7-eights blue and white ſtriped tickens; 6-qr. 6-qr. and half, and 7-qr. bed hunts; clouting diapers; Ruſſia diapers; ſtriped linens and hollands; a variety of cottons; ſingle and double purple calicoes; double purple ground, with two colours, and blue calicoes; low priced India calicoes; chintzes; ſpotted, flowered, and ſtriped blue and white Bengals; ſtriped and double purple ground, with two and three colours, and blue printed linens; muſlins; 7-eights and yard wide cambricks and lawns; flowered lawns; plain, ſtriped, and flowered ſilk gauze; plain and flowered bordered kenting handkerchiefs; Scotch check, Cumberland, Pitt, and King and Queen handkerchiefs; great variety of Scotch threads; nuns threads; ſtitching and cloth coloured, blue, black, green, yellow, and mix coloured taylors threads; 3-qr. 7-eights, and yard wide Iriſh linens, of all prices; long lawns; 10 nail, 11 nail, 3-qr. 7-eights, yard, and yd. and 3-eights wd. cotton and linen checks and ſtripes; Turkey ſtripes; yard wide and ell wide ſtriped all Cottons; variety of Damaſcuſſes; pillow fuſtians; jeans and jeanets; everlaſtings; cotton velvets and velverets; thickſets, flowered and plain dimothies; mens, womens and girls cotton, thread and worſted hoſe; black, blue, and cloth coloured ſilk taffeties; ell wide and narrow perſians; black, blue, white, green, and cloth coloured ſattin pelongs; black, blue, white, changeable and cloth coloured Barcelona ſilk handkerchiefs; black ſilk cravats; ſpotted and flowered bandanoes, ſilk romals; ſpotted and flowered Iriſh ſilk handkerchiefs; black full ſattin and paduaſoy ſilks; variety of coloured mantua ſilks; a large and general aſſortment of flowered and plain ribbons; 2d. 3d. and 4d. ſilk ferrets; ſilk, cotton and thread laces; a great variety of Tully, flowered, and Scotch garters; broad and narrow worſted bindings; ſewing ſilks of all colours; broad and narrow white and ſtriped tapes and bobbings; a great variety of horſe whips; pins of all ſorts; needles; childrens ſhoes; ink-powder; nutmegs; cinnamon; cloves; mace; pepper; beſt bohea tea; ginger; an aſſortment of pewter; 3, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, and 20d. nails; ſhot; gunpowder; frying pans; ſteel; window glaſs; iron pots; cart boxes; a large aſſortment of ſaddlery wares; worſted and hair pluſhes; hinges; looking glaſſes; piſtol-caped knives; cutteau knives; Barlow, childrens, and other penknives; razors; ſciſſars; ſpectacles; braſs ink-pots; ſnuff boxes; gilt and ſilver pattern buttons; great variety of plain and wrought knee and ſhoe buckles; ivory and horn combs; mens, womens, and girls cloth coloured and white lamb mitts and gloves; ſilk and worſted mitts; great variety of baſket and deathhead ſilk and hair coat and breaſt buttons; jacket and ſhirt buttons; a great variety of colours of mohair and ſcarf twiſt; white and brown buckrams; hat-band and mourning crape; black crape for gowns; wool, cotton, and tow cards; an aſſortment of China wares; glaſs wares; a variety of cups and ſaucers, and delph wares; rum; ſugars of all ſorts; melaſſes; rice; coffee.

N. B. They hope no perſon will be diſpleaſed at being refuſed goods upon credit, as the large aſſortment they keep, and the low prices their goods are ſold at, put it out of their power to ſell but for ready money.

**** A boy is wanted to attend the ſtore as an apprentice, or a young man on wages, apply to Randle Mitchell, in Philadelphia.*

EIGHT DOLLARS Reward.

RUN away, the 30th of March laſt, from the Subſcriber, living in Newlin townſhip, Cheſter county, an Engliſh ſervant man, named William Smithes, of a ſwarthy complexion, has ſtrait black hair, about 5 feet 5 inches high, about 18 or 20 years of age; had on, and took with him, a brown camblet coat, more than half worn, with a ſmall piece ſewed between the ſhoulders, a ſeaman's blue jacket, with horn buttons, ſlaſh ſleeves, and a good deal broken, two ſhirts, one white, the other check, old brown breeches, old tow trowſers, old felt hat, worſted ſtockings, and ſtrong ſhoes, tied with thongs. Whoever takes up and ſecures ſaid ſervant, ſo that his maſter may have him again, ſhall have the above reward, paid by

JOHN BAILY.

N. B. All maſters of veſſels are are forbid to carry him off at their peril.

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Woodbridge, New-Jerſey, April 21, 1769.

DANIEL WALTON, of the Manor of Moreland, in Philadelphia county, is hereby informed, that his runaway ſervant, JAMES BYRN, is in my cuſtody, and he is deſired to come, pay charges, and take him away.

¶ NATHANIEL HEARD.

CAME to the plantation of the ſubſcriber, in Paſſyunk townſhip, a cheſtnut bay HORSE, about 14 hands high, has ſeveral ſaddle marks, a buſhy mane, and ſwitch tail. The owner is deſired to come, prove his property, pay charges, and take him away. GEORGE LESSER. ¶

Tredyffrin, Cheſter County, March 25, 1769.

FIFTEEN POUNDS Reward.

WAS picked out of the Subſcriber's pocket, the firſt of this inſtant, in the Court-houſe at Cheſter, a large needle worked pocket-book, containing a conſiderable number of bonds, and about Fifty Pounds in paper money, beſides receipts, and other papers of value. Whoever apprehends the perſon or perſons that took the ſaid pocket-pook, ſo that he or they be brought to juſtice, and the papers and money got again, ſhall have the above reward; or, Fifty Shillings for the pocket-book and papers only, and no queſtions aſked.

† JOSHUA EVANS.

N. B. If any perſon ſhould offer to aſſign over any bills or bonds, payable to the Subſcriber, the perſon to whom ſuch aſſignment may be offered is requeſted to apprehend him, and ſecure the bonds.

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To be LETT by WILLIAM KELLY,

A VERY valuable TRACT of about 2000 acres of land, in the county of Morris, in Eaſt-New-Jerſey, as healthy a country as any in the world, about fifteen miles from Newark, (a ſea port town) in that province, and about 23 miles from New-York.

This tract is ſo fine a body of land, as I believe few, if any, can equal it for fertility and richneſs; about 1500 acres of which is a rich low ground, clear of ſtones, black mold from 12 to 36 inches, on a ſtratum of blue clay: The ſoil is as fine as any in the world for graſs, and will grow any kind of grain in ſo very luxuriant a manner, as to be in danger of lodging in high winds. The remainder is upland, on which there is a fine ſituation to build, commanding a proſpect of great extent over the low ground, and is very good in quality; with a fine young orchard, the largeſt in the province, containing about 1400 trees of the beſt grafted fruit, at 50 feet diſtance, which bore this (for the firſt year) and from which when it comes to maturity, there may be from 500 to 1000 barrels of cyder made yearly. There is on the eſtate Blackheart, Mayduke, Whiteheart, Coronation, and Bleedingheart cherries, Bergamott, and other pears; Holland, Green Gage, and other plumbs; a nurſery of ſeveral thouſand apple trees, ſome of which are fit to ſet out. A good farm houſe, kitchen, and a very fine dairy and cyder houſe built this year; a barn, with twelve barracks for hay and corn; a very fine corn-houſe, and a large granary; a Negroe houſe, ſmoke-houſe, a large fowl-houſe, a ſmith's ſhop, a coal-houſe, a large cow-houſe, two horſe ſtables, a neceſſary and large bee-houſe, two green houſes to preſerve cabbage and roots in the winter; two pigeon-houſes, well ſtock'd; and other conveniences, too many to mention. There is on this tract, at a diſtance of leſs than half a mile, a good houſe for a hind or ſteward, and two other tenements that will lett, or accommodate ſervants that have families; and there may (one year with another) be upwards of 200 tons of fine Engliſh hay, clover and ſpear graſs, and upwards of 500 tons of coarſe hay cut; all the land producing at preſent this coarſe graſs, is capable of being made as fine meadow as any in the world, at a very ſmall expence; and is deemed one of the fineſt places in America, to breed mules for the Weſt-Indies. There is on the whole about 300 acres of woods, containing ſome fine timber for building. Through the tract runs a fine brook, on which ſtands, within leſs than half a mile of the dwelling-houſe, a griſt-mill, and a ſaw-mill, (not on the tract) and in the Brook; and alſo a river on which the tract bounds, are plenty of trout, and other fiſh: There are alſo ſome deer, turkeys, and plenty of wild-geeſe, ducks, partridges, quails, &c. on it in the proper ſeaſon; and at the foot of the garden is a very fine ſpring, never dry, and an extreme good place for a fiſh pond. The main road 66 feet wide, runs through the tract, not an acre of barren or poor land on the whole.

This eſtate lies in the heart of a country, where any quantity of cattle may be bought, at all ſeaſons of the year, at a very moderate price; 2nd as there may be ſome perſons extremely well qualified to buy, fatten, and ſell cattle, who would incline to rent, in caſe they had a proper capital to carry on that buſineſs to advantage, the owner propoſes to let a good tenant have any ſum on intereſt, not exceeding 1000l. giving good ſecurity.

Should any perſon incline to purchaſe, rather than rent the above eſtate, it may be bought at a reaſonable price, and any term not exceeding ten years, given for payment of a part or whole of the money, on allowing intereſt, and giving good ſecurity. The title clear and indiſputable; and will be warranted to the purchaſer. There is on it now the largeſt and fineſt breed of cattle in America, imported from Holland, and as good horſes as any in the province; all or any of which, with about twenty ſlaves, bred to farming and country work (among which is a good blackſmith, maſon and ſhoemaker) will be ſold, and poſſeſſion of the whole immediately after given to the tenant or purchaſer. For further particulars, enquire of John Berrien, Eſq; near Prince-town, Stephen Moylan, Eſq; in Philadelphia; the owner in New-York, or in his abſence, Abraham Lott, Eſq;

N. B. The above land pays no quitrent. March 23.

WHEREAS I the ſubſcriber, Chriſtopher Tuſh, of the townſhip of Manner, in the county of Lancaſter, and province of Pennſylvania, did give unto Matthias Zimmerman, of Baltimore county, and province of Maryland, ſeven ſeveral bonds or writings, obligatory for the payment of four hundred pounds, dated the fifth day of November, 1768; and whereas I did buy of ſaid Matthias Zimmerman a tract of 20 acres of land, about four miles from Baltimore, which land ſaid Matthias Zimmerman cannot deliver or convey to me; this is therefore to forewarn all perſons, whomſoever, not to buy any of ſaid bonds, as I will not pay any of them.

¶ CHRISTOPHER TUSH.

Juſt opened, imported in the Pennſylvania Packet, Captain Falconer, from London, and the Sally, Captain Spain, from Liverpool, and to be ſold by

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At his Store, on the weſt ſide of Second-ſtreet, the ſecond door below the Church, A freſh and neat aſſortment of European and Eaſt-India GOODS, ſuitable for the ſeaſon, amongſt which are the following articles, viz.

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PREFACE by the EDITOR.

THREE volumes of diſcourſes by the late Rev. SAMUEL DAVIES, with the encouragement of a very numerous ſubſcription, ſome time ſince made their appearance in the world. The editor aſſures the public, that he employed his beſt endeavours to ſecure every profit for the aſſiſtance of Mr. Davies's widow and orphans, and that he has long ſince for that purpoſe tranſmitted the monies (which were by no means inconſiderable) accruing from the publication, to America. Mrs. Davies is lately dead; but her children, 3 ſons, and 2 daughters, are ſtill living; and if there ſhould be any benefit ariſing from the publication that is now intended, it ſhall be entirely applied for their uſe, who are now bereaved of both their parents, and therefore may be intitled to a kind of double ſhare of chriſtian compaſſion and benevolence.

About 60 manuſcript diſcourſes of Mr. Davies's are now in the hands of the Editor, whence he deſigns to ſelect ſuch ſermons to form the preſent collection, as appear to him to be the firſt in merit as to compoſition, to be beſt calculated for general good, and that in reſpect of ſubjects are leaſt a-kin to one another, and to the diſcourſes that compoſe the former publication.

The preſent volumes will have nothing to diſtinguiſh them as the 4th or 5th volumes of Mr. Davies's ſermons, ſo that ſubſcribers to the preſent work will not find it imperfect on account of its connexion with that which has been already publiſhed; though it may not be improper to acquaint them, that, if they are deſirous to furniſh themſelves with a complete ſett of Mr. Davies's diſcourſes, a ſecond edition of them is in readineſs to gratify their inclinations.

The Editor, in his preface to the ſermons that have been already printed, has ventured to give his ſentiments concerning them, in the following words, and he has no reaſon to doubt but they may be applied with like juſtice to the preſent publication. "In theſe diſcourſes, if I miſtake not, a critical ſcrutiny into "the texts which the Author chooſes for his ſubjects, a natu"ral eduction, and clear repreſentation of their genuine mean"ing, an elaborate and ſatisfactory proof of the various heads "of doctrine, a ſteady proſecution of his point, together with "an eaſy and pertinent enlargement, and a free, animated, and "powerful application and improvement, wonderfully adapted "to awaken the conſciences, and ſtrike the hearts both of "ſaints and ſinners, mingle the various excellencies of learn"ing, judgment, eloquence, piety, and ſeraphic zeal, in one "uncommon glory; not unlike the beams of the ſun collected "by a burning-glaſs, that at once ſhine with a moſt dazzling "brightneſs, and ſet fire, wherever the blaze is directed, to "objects ſuſceptive of their celeſtial influence, and a tranſ"formation into their own nature."

Should the Editor of theſe volumes be the happy inſtrument of introducing to the public a number of diſcourſes that may prove ſerviceable to the great intereſts of evangelical knowledge and vital godlineſs, at the ſame time that the orphans of his deceaſed friend are aided in their entrance into life, or enabled to make their way through it with reputation and comfort from any emolument that may ariſe from the preſent publication, he will find the pleaſant ſenſations of his own boſom an ample recompence for the cloſe and critical review of the diſcourſes he ſhall appoint for the preſs, and the attention and care he promiſes to beſtow, that the preſent volumes may appear to the world free from typographical eſcapes and errors.

Hoxton Square, June 16, 1768. THOMAS GIBBONS.

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Have just imported in the Pennsylvania Packet, Captain Falconer, from London;

A General assortment of DRUGS and Medicines, of the very best quality, and in excellent order, both chymicals, and galenicals, which they continue to sell as usual at Boerhaave's-head, the corner of Second and Walnut-streets.

They have also for sale, best SWEET or SALLAD OIL, by the gallon or smaller quantity; Turlington's balsam; Daffy's elixir; Bateman's drops; Godfrey's cordial; Walker's jesuits drops; British oil; Anderson's, Hooper's and Lockyer's pill's; balsam of honey; and most of the patent medicines now in use, warranted genuine, and from the original warehouses.

MEDICINE CHESTS are put up by them of any prices, with plain and particular directions, so as to render them very useful and necessary to masters of vessels, managers of iron works, and gentlemen who have large families, and live at a distance from a physician. ¶

CURTIS CLAY,

Has just imported in the Dragon, Capt. Read, from London, and is now opening at his store, the corner of Chestnut and Waterstreets, next door to Mr. Samuel Pleasants, a very neat assortment of European and East India GOODS, suitable to the spring and summer seasons, among which are the following, viz.

WHITE and brown Russia sheetings, Russia drabs, huckabacks, towelling, fine Russia drilling, Irish sheetings, flaxen sprig ozenbrigs, Irish linens, cotton and linen checks, cotton hollands, brown hollands, fustians, jeans and fine jennets, Wilton cloths, saggathies, nankeens, Venetian poplins, durants, tammies, shaloons, everlastings, silk and hair grazets, damascusses, ginghams, soosees, ell and half ell Persians, striped ditto, sky, pink, white and straw coloured mantuas, satins, half sattins, pelongs, sarsnets, fine white Marseilles quilting, cotton counterpanes; diaper table cloths, jacconet and other muslins, plain, netted and figured gauze, plain and striped Bengals, a great variety of English and India chintzes and calicoes, womens silk and purple grained mitts, mens silk and thread gloves, silk and worsted breeches patterns, mens, womens and boys white and brown thread and cotton hose, bed bunts, Flanders bed ticks, Scotch handkerchiefs, blue romal and Dutch pinwork ditto, spotted and bordered bandanoes, lungee and new silk romals, Barcelona handkerchiefs and cravats, kentings, a very neat assortment of ribbons, ferrets, bindings, tapes, sewing silks, knee garters, silk and hair, and scarf twist, threads, Leghorn hats, fans, death head and basket buttons, gilt ditto, white and brown buckrams, Whitechapel and common needles, hat-band crape, best G. B. wool cards, cutlery, nests of neat gilt red leather trunks, with brass furniture, &c. &c. &c.

To be SOLD, by way of public VENDUE,

On Monday, the twenty second day of May inst. by the subscribers at Christiana Bridge,

TWO SHALLOPS in good order, fitting for the River or Bay service, each carry near or about three hundred barrels of flour: The sale being intended to settle a partnership accounts, the buyer may have one Year's credit if required, giving security, and paying interest; the Vessels may be seen the following stage days, at captain Mease's Wharff, in Philadelphia, or at Christine; so that any persons inclinable to purchase, may treat with the owners before the time of sale.

WILLIAM PATTERSON, and
WILLIAM HENDERSON.

N. B. WILLIAM HENDERSON keeps on the stage business as usual, in company with ALLEN GILLESPIE, and SOLOMON MAXWELL, and purposes keeping the same stage days as usual, and said MAXWELL will carry on the flour business as usual. ‡

THE subscriber hereof having heretofore been possessed of a considerable estate, but, by the unforeseen hardness of the times, the falling of the price of lands, and other disappointments and losses, he has become incapable to satisfy all his creditors; in order, however, that none of them might lose all their demands, he surrendered and delivered up his estate to them, with which, some of said creditors rest satisfied, but others being of a more craving, relentless, and vindictive disposition, refuse to comply with any terms (notwithstanding many have been proposed) till the whole of their debts are paid, and have thrown him into confinement, where he has remained a prisoner for 11 months past; these debts he is by no means able to pay, he therefore, as the last resource, is under the disagreeable necessity, of giving this notice to all his creditors, that he intends to apply at the next session of General Assembly, of the province of New-Jersey, for an act to regain his liberty, of which all persons concerned are desired to take notice. ¶

WILLIAM BROWN.

THE partnership of HUGH MEANS and MATTHEW IRVIN being expired, all persons indebted to them by bond, note or book debt, are requested to make speedy payment to HUGH MEANS only, in whose hands the company's books, &c. are, and who is fully authorized to receive the same; and those who have any demands upon the company, are desired to bring them in, that they may be adjusted and paid.------Such as are indebted above twelve months to said HUGH MEANS, on his own particular account, are also requested to pay, without further delay.

He is now opening, at his store in Chestnut-street, between Front and Second-streets, a fresh assortment of Merchandize, suitable to the season, imported per Captains Falconer and Friend, from London, which he will sell on the lowest Terms for cash, or the usual credit.

All persons indebted to the estate of SAMUEL MEANS, late of New-Castle county, deceased, are desired to pay, and those who have any demands thereon, to apply to HUGH MEANS, of Philadelphia, or ROBERT BRATTAN, of New-Castle county, Executors. ¶

THE Subscriber hereof having heretofore been possessed of a considerable estate, but by the unforeseen hardness of the times, disappointments, and losses in trade, and otherwise, the low price in sale of his lands, which have been sold for the benefit of his creditors, has rendered him unable to settle with his creditors to their full demands, to which some of said creditors are willing to compound, and be satisfied, but others being of a more craving, relentless disposition, refuse to comply with any terms, till the whole of their debts are paid, which his circumstances render him incapable to do at present, though he is willing to give up his all to them; but have confined him in the county goal at Gloucester, for near seven months past, which puts him under the disagreeable necessity, as the last resource, to seek some other method for aid. These are therefore to give notice to all persons concerned, that he purposes to apply at the next meeting of the General Assembly of the province of New-Jersey, for relief in the premises. ¶

WILLIAM BURNET.

Plumsted, in Bucks County, April 4, 1769.

BY Virtue of an Order from the Honourable the Orphan's Court, for Bucks County, will be exposed by public Vendue, on Friday, the 26th day of May next, a valuable Tract of unimproved Land, containing 106 Acres, and the usual Allowance, lining with Durham and Stump Roads, extraordinary well timbered with white and black Oak, it being in a fine healthy pleasant Part of the Country, and very suitable for almost any public Business. Also will be sold, same Time, a Negroe Woman, with 3 Children, one of which is sucking, sold for no Fault, but she breeds too fast. The Vendue to begin at 12 of the Clock, same Day, where due Attendance, and reasonable Credit, will be given by JANE HART, Administratrix. ‖

Just imported in the Philadelphia Packet, Captain BUDDEN, from LONDON, and to be sold by

JOHN WILLDAY,

At his store in Fourth-street, near the south side of Market-street, and by

ROBERT BAIL,

At Christiana-Bridge,

A GENERAL Assortment of dry GOODS, suitable for the season, among which are a large assortment of 3-qr. mantuas, and other silks, a few hogsheads of felt hats, which he will sell by the whole hogshead, as low as can be imported; also choice Cheshire cheese, London porter in bottles, best hyson, congo and bohea tea, pepper, grind-stones, chalk, whiting, green copperas, sail cloth No. 1 to 7; a few hogsheads London loaf sugar; scythes, wooll-cards, boulting-cloths, sheet lead, steel in half faggots, a few kegs of short pipes, gunpowder and shot.

MIFFLIN and DEAN,

HAVE imported from London, a large ASSORTMENT of SPRING-GOODS, which are now opening, at their Store, the Corner of Front and Chestnut-streets. Tbctf.

THE PUBLIC are hereby made acquainted, That the CHALYBEATE SPRINGS, in the Borough of BRISTOL, are now cleared, and a convenient BATH and HOUSE built over the same, ready for the Reception of such Persons whose Disorders may require their Use. By an ANALYSIS of these WATERS, published last Year by the Philosophical Society, they appear to contain a Portion of Iron dissolved and suspended by a vitriolish Acid, in Water perhaps as pure as any hitherto discovered in any Part of the World, and, from every Experiment, answers the Description of the celebrated GERMAN SPAW.

It will be needless to publish the Uses of these WATERS, it is sufficient to say, they every Day become more general, and that Numbers of Disorders have been cured by them, that have eluded the most powerful Medicines; whoever would use them to advantage, should do it with the Advice of their Physicians, who may be fully informed of their component Principles, by the above mentioned ANALYSIS.

Such Persons whose Circumstances do not admit the Expence of Advice, will have it GRATIS, by a Gentleman practising Physic in BRISTOL.

In order more fully to ascertain the Virtue of these Waters, an exact Register is intended to be kept of every Person using the same, with its Effect, for which Purposes it is desired, that the Persons who intend to try it, would bring with them a short Account of their Case, drawn up by the Doctor attending them.

Such Persons who intend to use these Waters, are desired to acquaint JOHN PRIESTLEY, or CHARLES BESSONETT, thereof, who will provide proper Lodgings. ¶ 6 W.

GIBSON and ASHETON,

In Market-street, near Fourth-street, have imported in the last Vessels from LONDON,

A LARGE Assortment of Spring GOODS, and CONGO TEA, in whole and Quarter Chests, which they will sell on the most reasonable Terms. Tbctf.

Just imported, in the last vessels from London and Liverpool, and to be sold, by

BENJAMIN RAWLE,

At his store in Water-street, next door to the Old Ferry,

A LARGE and neat Assortment of European and East-India GOODS, suitable for the season, which he will sell on the very lowest terms, for cash, or short credit.

And all persons indebted, are requested to make immediate payment, as he intends to decline business at present, in order to settle his affairs; and those that do not pay, may depend that measures will be taken that will be disagreeable to them. He has an English servant lad's time to dispose of, fit for town or country business, having above 6 years to serve. †

FIVE POUNDS Reward.

RUN away from the Union Iron-works, in Hunterdon county, West New-Jersey, on Saturday, the 25th of February last, an indented servant man, named Dennis Skehan, sometimes goes by name of Dennis Stevens, this country born, about 5 feet 8 inches high, and 27 years of age, by trade a mill-wright; he is a strong healthy looking man, wears his own black hair, tied, has a scar on one of his cheeks, remarkable white eyes, and a down look, when in conversation, his jaws are apt to snap when eating, and wants several of his foreteeth; had on, when he went away, a broadcloth coat, and jacket, little worn, half worn buckskin breeches, new shoes, brass buckles, and light blue coloured milled stockings, a half worn beaver hat, check shirt; he appears to be a quiet simple fellow, but is artful, and fond of strong liquors, very talkative when drunk, will say much of his knowledge in the mill-wright trade, may pretend to know something of the founder's business, at an iron furnace, and many other things, of which he is quite ignorant. Whoever takes up and secures said servant in any of his Majesty's goals, or delivers him to Joseph Turner in Philadelphia, or to the Subscriber at the iron-works aforesaid, shall receive the above reward, and all reasonable charges, paid by

ROBERT TAYLOR, at Union Forge.

WAS left in my Shop, last Week, a Sum of Money; the Owner, by applying to me in Front-street, Philadelphia, near the Drawbridge, describing the Sum, and paying the Charge of this Advertisement, may have it again.

April 3, 1769. † GILBERT DEACON.

WILLING and TOD,

DESIRE all Persons indebted to them, above the Time they agreed to make Payment, to discharge their Accounts, otherwise they will be put into the Hands of an Attorney, without further Notice. 6 W.

JOHN WILLIAMS, *Saddler,*

Who formerly lived at the corner of Elbow Lane, in Market-street, takes this method to inform his customers, and others,

THAT he has removed into Chestnut-street, near Third-street, and nearly opposite the sign of the Cross Keys, where Mr. Joseph Ogden lives, makes in the best and most fashionable manner, and sells at the most reasonable rates, Gentlemens English hunting full welted and plain hogskin, buckskin, and neats leather seated saddles, demipeaks, Scotch burrs, King's hunting ditto, common hunting ditto, breasted ditto, race ditto, and pack or carrying ditto, ladies hunting side saddles, demi hunters, and common ditto, fringed, laced and bound, of various fashions. All kinds of military furniture, portmanteaus, saddle bags, housings of all sorts, saddle cloths, boot garters, surcingles, martingals, and all sorts of saddler's furniture, jockey caps of all sizes, horse collars, cart gears, &c. &c.---Such as please to favour him with their custom and orders, may depend on having their work done in the genteelest manner, with care and dispatch.

RUN away from the SUBSCRIBER, living in Trenton, West New-Jersey, on the 18th day of March, an Irish servant lad, named MICHAEL BRADY, about 19 years of age, about 5 feet 4 inches high, well set, very thick legs, and knock kneed, fair complexion, full grey eyes, and lightish short hair; had on, and took with him, a brown thickset fustian coat and breeches, and a green cloth jacket, with flat metal buttons on them, a pair of blue stocking breeches, one linen jacket, with red stripes, one white and ozenbrigs shirt, coarse grey yarn stockings, new pumps, with long quarters, with metal buckles in them, and coarse felt hat. He is a shoemaker by trade, and pretends to the stuff-work. Whoever takes up and secures said servant in any of his Majesty's goals, so that his master may have him again, shall have THREE POUNDS reward, and reasonable charges, paid by

‡ WILLIAM TUCKER.

N. B. He may very probably change his name and clothes, as he is a crafty fellow.

ALL Persons indebted to the Estate of ADAM EVEY, late of the City of Philadelphia, Wharff Builder, deceased, are desired to make immediate Payment; and those that have any Demands against the said Estate, are requested to bring in their Accounts, that they may be adjusted and settled, by SUSANNA EVEY, Administratrix. §

NEAVE and HARMAN,

At their Store the Corner of Second and Spruce-streets, are now opening,

A NEAT assortment of GOODS, suitable to the season, imported in the Pennsylvania Packet, Captain Falconer, and the Carolina, Captain Friend, just arrived from London, which they will sell on the most reasonable terms, for cash or short credit. With a few pieces of superfine cassimers, and a large assortment of broadcloths, as usual, &c. &c. &c.

TO BE SOLD,

A CERTAIN lot or piece of ground, situate in the township of Norrington, about 14 miles from Philadelphia, containing three quarters of an acre, and four perches of land, having a convenient two story stone messuage thereon erected, suitable for, and lately used as a store, by Jacob Hugely, bounded by lands of Ellis Roberts, and others, and the line of Plymouth township. The purchaser may have 12 months credit, giving security, and paying interest. For further particulars, enquire of RICHARD FOOTMAN, in Philadelphia, or of WILLIAM LAWRENCE, in Plymouth township. Tbc 6 w.

ALL Persons, indebted to the Estate of William Bywater, late of the City of Philadelphia, Joiner, deceased, are desired to make immediate Payment; and those that have any Demands against the said Estate, are requested to bring in their Accounts, that they may be adjusted and settled by

MARGARET BYWATER, Executrix,
§ ALEXANDER ALLAIR, Executor.

JOHN SPARHAWK,

At the London Book-Store, in Market-street, Philadelphia, has, by the last arrivals from London, a fresh supply of choice DRUGS and MEDICINES, which he engages to sell as low as can be bought in America, of equal quality; among the above are,

WALKER's Jesuit's drops, and specific purging remedy, an infallible cure for venereal disease, all weaknesses of the reins, gravel, and various other complaints, from whatever cause proceeding; balsam of boney, for cure of consumptions, colds, and all difficulties of breathing; elixir bardana, for the rheumatism and gout, British tooth powder, which cleanses the teeth and gums from all foulness, preserves them sound and free of pain, prevents those decaying from growing worse, renders them clean and white as ivory, and the breath perfectly sweet and agreeable; Turlington's balsam of life, Anderson's pills, C. D. and J. J. Hooper's female pills, Lockyer's pills, Bateman's drops, British oil, Godfrey's cordial, Daffy's elixir, Stoughton's elixir, Squire's grand elixir, Bostick's cordial, sugar plumbs, a never-failing cure for worms of all kinds, especially in children, they are of singular service to youth of both sexes, by purging away all vicious humours, they render the body active and perfectly healthy, produce a sound and blooming countenance, clear skin, and sweet breath; Hungary, lavender, and King's boney water; court plaister, nipple glasses, and pipes, straight and crooked, marble and glass, mortars, glass tubes, pouches and cases of surgeon's pocket instruments, lancet cases, shagreen and nursel skin ditto, neatly mounted with silver, Smellie's midwifery instruments, catheters, probangs, cases of crooked needles, ivory and pewter syringes, spring and other lancets, phials of all sizes, &c. &c. &c. To be had at the same place, good olive oil, in large or small quantities. 3 m.

DRUGS and MEDICINES,

A VERY large and fresh assortment, just imported in the Philadelphia Packet, Captain Budden, from London, by NATHANIEL TWEEDY, Druggist, at the Golden Eagle, near the Court-house, in Market-street, Philadelphia, which he will sell very cheap, with a fresh assortment of patent medicines, furniture, dye stuffs, &c. &c. Where may always be had a general supply of paints, both ground and dry, with every article belonging to the painting business.

Philadelphia, April 6, 1769.

RUN away from the subscriber's plantation, in the Northern Liberties, near Philadelphia, the 2d of this instant, two Welch servant men, by trade masons; one of them named THOMAS LLEWELLYN, about 28 years old, and about 5 feet 10 inches high, stoops and labours much in his walk, of a dark complexion, and speaks English very imperfectly; it is supposed he took with him two dowlas, and one white shirt, a pair of light coloured, and a pair of crimson plush breeches, a mixed bearskin jacket, and brown coat, with white buttons. The other named WILLIAM MORGAN, about 25 years old, and about 5 feet 8 inches high, of a ruddy complexion, and speaks English imperfectly; supposed to have taken with him two dowlas, and one white shirt, a pair of old cloth breeches, a drab coloured cloth jacket, with metal buttons, and a blue coat. Besides which, each of them had a blue duffil great coat, with large wrought white metal buttons, and sundry other apparel, which, as they were seen on the road towards Lancaster without, it is thought they have sold them. Whoever apprehends said servants, and secures them in any goal on the continent, and sends intelligence to their master, shall have THREE POUNDS reward for each, and reasonable charges, paid by

ABEL JAMES.

BY Virtue of a Writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public Sale, on Monday, the 22d of May, at 7 o'Clock in the Evening, at the Houſe of Jacob Barge, in Market-ſtreet, a certain Lot of Ground, ſituate on the Weſt Side of Seventh-ſtreet, in the City of Philadelphia, containing in Breadth 40 Feet, and in Depth 100 Feet; bounded by ſaid Seventh-ſtreet, Zane's-ſtreet, and Ground of Jonathan Zane, junior, ſubject to a Groundrent of Ten Pounds, Pennſylvania Currency, per Annum; late the Eſtate of William Faries, ſeized and taken in Execution by

JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

BY Virtue of a Writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public Sale, on Tueſday, the 30th Day of May, at 7 o'Clock in the Evening, at the London-Coffee-Houſe, a certain 3 Story Brick Meſſuage, and Lot of Ground, ſituate on the South-ſide of High-ſtreet, in the City of Philadelphia, containing in Breadth on ſaid Street 16 Feet 6 Inches, including the weſtermoſt Half Part of a certain 2 Feet 9 and a Half Inch Alley, and in Length or Depth 80 Feet, or thereabouts; bounded Eaſtward by Ground of Iſaac Greenleafe, Southward by a Lot whereof this was Part, Weſtward by Ground of Aquilla Jones, and Northward by High-ſtreet aforeſaid; late the Eſtate of William Clinton, deceaſed, ſeized and taken in Execution by JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

BY Virtue of a Writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public Sale, on Tueſday, the 30th of May, at 7 o' Clock in the Evening, at the London Coffee-Houſe, Four certain yearly Rents, amounting to £ 12:6:6 Sterling, viz. One yearly Rent of 40s. Sterling, iſſuing out of a Lot of Ground, ſituate in the Diſtrict of Southwark, bounded Northward by a Lot late of William Cunningham, Weſtward by Front-ſtreet continued, Southward by a Lot now or late of Joſeph Shippen, and Eaſtward by Ground late of William Annis, deceaſed.----One other yearly Rent, of £ 3:4:6 Sterling, iſſuing out of another Lot of Ground, ſituate in the Diſtrict of Southwark aforeſaid, bounded Northward by Land late of Anthony Noble, Weſtward by Front-ſtreet continued, Southward by Land late of Edward Shippen, and Eaſtward by Land late of William Annis, deceaſed.----One other yearly Rent, of £ 5:2:0 Sterling, iſſuing out of another Lot of Ground, ſituate in the Diſtrict of Southwark aforeſaid, bounded Weſtward by Land late of Anthony Noble, Northward by Land late of William Cunningham, Eaſtward by Penn-ſtreet, and Southward by Land late of William Annis, deceaſed. And one other yearly Rent, of 40s. Sterling, iſſuing out of a Lot of Ground, ſituate on the South Side of Cedar-ſtreet, bounded Northward by Cedar-ſtreet aforeſaid, Weſtward by Land late of Alexander Alexander, Southward by Land late of Philip Hulbert, and Eaſtward by Land late of William Annis, deceaſed; late the Eſtate of Robert and Suſanna Lindſay; ſeized and taken in Execution by JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

BY Virtue of a Writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public Sale, on Wedneſday, the 31ſt of May, at 7 o' Clock in the Evening, at the London Coffee-Houſe, a certain Brick Meſſuage, and Lot of Ground, ſituate in the City of Philadelphia, containing in Breadth 15 Feet, and in Depth from Front-ſtreet to Water-ſtreet 40 Feet, bounded Northward by a Lot of John Moyes, and Southward by a Lot of Andrew Hamilton, ſubject to a Groundrent of £ 26:5:0 Pennſylvania Currency, per Annum; late the Eſtate of Thomas White; ſeized and taken in Execution by

JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

BY Virtue of a Writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public Sale, on Thurſday, the 1ſt Day of June, at 2 o' Clock in the Afternoon, on the Premiſes, a certain Tract of Land, ſituate on the Weſt-ſide of Germantown Road, about 5 Miles and a Half from Philadelphia, containing about 23 Acres, more or leſs, whereon is a Nurſery of the beſt Collection of various Sorts of Fruit Trees, and about 7 Acres thereof are good watered Meadow; on the ſaid Tract is erected a good 2 Story Stone Meſſuage and Kitchen, a compleat tanyard, with 28 Vatts, a Stream of Water running through the ſame, and all neceſſary Buildings belonging thereto. Alſo a Still-Houſe, well ſupplied with Water by a Fountain, which keeps conſtantly playing in the Cooling Tubs, or any other Part, and a good Barn, Stables, &c.

Alſo a certain other Tract of Land, adjoining the aforeſaid Tract, high and pleaſantly ſituated, containing about 20 Acres, and fronts about 40 Perches on the ſaid Road; whereon is a very good Orchard of the beſt Fruit Trees, ſuch as Apple, Pear, Peach, Plumb, Cherry, &c. About 3 Acres thereof are of the beſt watered Meadow, and about 3 Acres of Wood-land, with good Quarries of Building Stone; bounded by Lands of Theobald Ent, James Logan, Samuel Aſhmead, Eſq; and Shippen; late the Eſtate of Jacob Naglee; ſeized and taken in Execution, by

JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

At the ſame Time will be ſold the Grain in the Ground, and the Graſs in the Meadows.

BY Virtue of a Writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public Sale, on Friday, the 2d of June, at 2 o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the Houſe of Peter Hillegas, in Upper Hanover, a certain Tenement, Barn, Stables, and two contiguous Tracts of Land, ſituate in Upper Hanover Townſhip, containing in the whole about 137 Acres, 15 Perches; bounded by Lands of Andrew Nawras, John Sechlar, George Welker, and others; late the Eſtate of Michael Reed, ſeized and taken in Execution by

JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

York Town, May 6, 1769.

BY virtue of ſundry writs of Venditioni Exponas, on Monday, the 30th of May inſtant, at 10 of the clock in the forenoon, will be expoſed to ſale, on the premiſes, two plantations and tracts of land, contiguous to, and adjoining each other, containing 700 acres; on one of which tracts is a tanyard, with all neceſſary buildings for that buſineſs, and a very good mill ſeat, with a never failing ſtream of water; on each tract about 100 acres cleared, with good buildings, and an orchard, 50 acres of cleared meadow, and double that quantity may be made; the land very rich, well timbered, and the meadow well watered; it is ſituate in Cumberland townſhip, York county, on the road from Bedford to Philadelphia and Baltimore, about 60 miles from the latter. Alſo a farm in the South Mountain, about 4 miles from the above, containing 200 acres, with fine range for ſtock. The aforeſaid three tracts of land are ſurveyed, and a conſiderable part of the purchaſe paid; all being ſeized and taken in execution, as the eſtate of Joſeph Morriſon, and to be ſold by GEORGE EICHELBERGER, Sheriff.

N. B. The above firſt mentioned two tracts will be ſold, ſubject to a mortgage of 600l. with intereſt, from the 1ſt of May 1764. ¶

To be SOLD, or LETT upon ground-rent,

A LOT of ground, containing in breadth 51 feet, and in depth 100 feet, ſituate in Second-ſtreet, next to John Dickinſon's, Eſq; For terms apply to SAMUEL POWELL, who has ſeveral lots in Third-ſtreet, between Walnut and Spruce ſtreets, to lett upon ground-rent. T.b.c. 1M.

Philadelphia, April 11, 1769.

RUN away, yeſterday, from the Subſcriber, living in Burlington county, Weſt Jerſey, an Iriſh ſervant man, named Francis Nevel, but it is likely he may change his name, he is of a light complexion, 5 feet 10 inches high, has ſhort thin ſtraight hair, freſh coloured, with a ſmall mole on one cheek, and a ſmall ſcar on the other; had on, a brown coat, bound round with worſted, old caſtor hat, leather breeches, black ſtockings, and old ſhoes. All maſters of veſſels are forbid to carry him off at their peril. Whoever ſecures ſaid ſervant, ſo that his maſter may have him again, ſhall receive Four Dollars reward, paid by SOLOMON RIDGWAY. ‡

To be SOLD, or LETT, for a Term of Years,

A HOUSE and plantation, containing 40 acres of land, ſituate in Warwick townſhip, Bucks county, 20 miles from Philadelphia, bounded on the Old-York road, and the Briſtol road; the houſe is ſuitable for a tavern or ſtore-keeping, there being a ſtore kept there at this time; there is on the premiſes a good ſtone houſe and kitchen, ſtore-houſe, a large ſhed, and other conveniences for carrying on the ſaid buſineſs; a good garden and orchard, and about 7 acres of meadow. Any perſon inclining to purchaſe or rent the ſaid premiſes, may know the terms, by applying to the ſubſcriber, living in Abington townſhip, Philadelphia county,

THOMAS COOPER, Tavern-keeper.

N. B. Any perſon purchaſing or renting the above premiſes, may have poſſeſſion immediately. †

New-Caſtle, April 24, 1769.

NOTICE is hereby given to the owners of the marſh and cripple, ſituate on Red Lyon Creek, in New-Caſtle county, that they attend the Honourable Houſe of Aſſembly at New-Caſtle, on the 5th day of June next, to make their objections (if any they have) to the prayer of ſundry of the owners of part of ſaid cripple and marſh, to the ſaid Houſe of Aſſembly in October laſt, for clearing Red Lyon Creek, and ſundry other requeſts contained therein, for the benefit of the owners, &c. ‡

York Town, May 5, 1769.

ON Thurſday, the 8th day of June next, will be run for over the race ground at York Town, in the county of York, and province of Pennſylvania, a ſubſcription purſe of Twenty Piſtoles, free for any horſe, mare, or gelding, that does not exceed half blood, the beſt of three heats, two miles each heat; if riſing 4 years old, to carry 8 ſtone, bridle and ſaddle included; if 5 years old, 8 ſtone 10 pounds; if ſix, 9 ſtone 6 pounds; and if aged, 10 ſtone. The time of ſtarting will be between One and Three. Every perſon that runs a horſe, mare, or gelding, for ſaid purſe, to enter the ſame with Mr. Michael Hahn of ſaid town, on the Tueſday preceding the race, paying one Piſtole entrance, or otherwiſe to pay double entrance at the poſt. The perſon who intends to run ſuch horſe, mare, or gelding, muſt produce ſufficient vouchers of the age, and alſo ſhew that the ſame does not exceed half blood. Any jockey detected in unfair behaviour, ſhall be deemed diſtanced. No leſs than four horſes to ſtart for ſaid purſe.

The entrance money to be run for by ſcrub horſes, on Saturday, the 10th of the ſaid month of June, the beſt of three one mile heats, to catch riders, and not leſs than four horſes to ſtart for the ſame, and one Dollar entrance to be paid for each of ſaid horſes. †

For C O R K,

The Ship ELIZABETH,
DAVID BROWN, MASTER,

WILL certainly ſail the 20th of this Month. For Freight or Paſſage agree with ſaid Maſter on board, at Knox's Wharff, or CARSON, Barclay, and Mitchell, who have now lying at their Store, a Box of Linen, marked G. M. No. 2, imported in the Elizabeth and Mary, from Dublin; the Owner is deſired to pay the Charges, and take it away. *May* 11. §

THIRTY SHILLINGS Reward.

STRAYED, or ſtolen, from Elizabeth Furnace, Lancaſter county, on the 30th of April, two mares, both of a dark brown colour, the one about 14 years old, 13 hands high, ſhe has a ſmall white ſpot juſt above one of her eyes, paces very eaſy, and goes lively under the ſaddle; the other a colt of the firſt mentioned, about 5 years old, about the ſame heighth, though not ſo well ſet, branded on the near ſhoulder P S, though ſo dim, that it rather appears to be a croſs, at a little diſtance, ſhe alſo paces very eaſy. Said creatures lately came from the Jerſeys, and it is ſuppoſed they are gone that way. Whoever will bring ſaid creatures to Elizabeth Furnace, or will ſecure them, ſo that the owner may have them again, ſhall have the above reward, and all reaſonable charges, paid by Mr. Henry William Stiegel, or the owner, ADAM SHOEMAKER.

ALL perſons indebted to the eſtate of Robert Hutchiſon, late of Cheſter-Town, Kent county, Maryland, merchant, deceaſed, are requeſted immediately to pay their reſpective balances; and thoſe who have any demands againſt ſaid eſtate, are deſired to bring them in, properly atteſted, to Mr. John Bolton, merchant, in Cheſter-Town, or the Subſcriber, in Philadelphia, there being an abſolute neceſſity for a final ſettlement of every thing relating to the ſaid eſtate, on or before the firſt of June next; thoſe therefore who neglect to comply, muſt abide the conſequence. JAMES ROSE, *Adminiſtrator.* ‡

RUN away, on the 7th of this inſtant May, from the Subſcriber, living in Philadelphia, an Iriſh ſervant man, named Patrick Quin, a well ſet fellow, about 5 feet 6 or 7 inches high, and about 35 or 40 years of age, ſhort black hair, or old white wig, old ſnuff-coloured cloth coat, old dark cloth jacket, with white metal buttons, buckſkin breeches, with ſtrings in the knees, a pair of light coloured milled ſtockings, check ſhirt, good ſhoes, braſs buckles, black handkerchief, old hat, his complexion very dark, much marked with the ſmall-pox, very much given to ſtrong liquor, and a great ſwearer. Whoever takes up and ſecures ſaid ſervant in any of his Majeſty's goals, or brings him to his maſter in Philadelphia, ſhall have Three Pounds reward, and reaſonable charges, paid by me

¶ *HUGH BOWES.*

To be SOLD, by public VENDUE,

On Wedneſday, the 31ſt of this inſtant May, at 2 o' clock, on the premiſes, by the Subſcriber,

A VALUABLE plantation and tavern, ſituate in the townſhip of Weſt-Caln, Cheſter county, on the great road leading from Lancaſter to Philadelphia, near John Miller's, Eſq; known by the ſign of the Mariner's Compaſs; the place contains near 200 acres of land, well timbered, and a conſiderable quantity cleared; 25 acres of good well watered meadow; there is thereon, a good orchard, and a large hop-yard, good ſtone dwelling-houſe, and log kitchen, a barn, ſhed, and malt-houſe. It is now under a leaſe of 3 years, from the 1ſt of April laſt, to a careful tenant, who pays the rent well, and keeps it in good order. The whole is commodiouſly ſituated for carrying on public buſineſs. The purchaſer, paying one half ready money, may have a ſufficient title, and time to pay the other half, free from intereſt, he giving bond and ſecurity; at which time and place, due attendance will be given by me

¶ ANDREW CULBERTSON.

WHEREAS, by an act of aſſembly of this province, paſſed the 18th of February, 1769, the following perſons, ſubſcribers hereto, are inveſted with a legal eſtate and title in the New Dutch Calviniſt church, and lot of ground thereunto belonging, ſituate on Fourth-ſtreet in this city, in truſt for the uſes and purpoſes in the ſaid act mentioned and ſpecified; notice is therefore hereby given, that the ſaid truſtees are now ready to receive any applications for the purchaſe of the aforeſaid premiſes. The building, which was deſigned for a church, is 53 feet by 82 feet, and well adapted to the intended purpoſe; the ſhell, or outſide only is compleated, ſo that the inſide may readily be made to anſwer the deſigns of the purchaſers; the lot, on which it ſtands, is 67 feet and an half by 107 feet, ſubject to a yearly groundrent of 24 l. ſterling. Any individuals, bodies politic or corporate, inclining to purchaſe the aforeſaid premiſes, are requeſted to make their propoſals before Wedneſday, the 7th of June next, at which time (if not diſpoſed of before) they will be ſold by public vendue, at the London Coffee-houſe, at 6 o' clock in the evening. ANDREW BANKSON, MOORE FURMAN, FRANCIS HOPKINSON, PETER KNIGHT, JOHN ORD. ¶

THE Honourable the Commiſſioners of his Majeſty's Cuſtoms, obſerving that Ships and Veſſels frequently incur Forfeitures, and their Owners become ſubject to heavy Penalties, through the Miſconduct, or Negligence, of the Maſters and Seamen; and particularly by the Maſters not making true Reports of their Cargoes, which they ſometimes pretend they are not able to do, from the Manner that they take in their Loading at foreign Ports; and at other times they pretend that the Seamen take in private Ventures, and ſecrete the ſame from their Knowledge, ſo as to be landed clandeſtinely upon their Arrival, without payment of Duty.-----And ſeveral Ships and Veſſels, ſeized for the Commiſſion of Offences of this Kind, having been releaſed in Conſequence of ſuch Repreſentations from the Owners: The Commiſſioners think it neceſſary to advertiſe for the Information of all Perſons whom it may concern, that upon the Detection and Diſcovery of any ſuch Offences in future, the ſame will be proſecuted as the Law directs; ſo that it behoves the Owners to ſuppreſs the Cuſtom of ſuffering the Seamen to take in private Ventures, and alſo to admonish the Maſters to be punctual in taking an Account of their Cargoes, and to pay a ſtrict Regard to their Oaths in reporting the ſame, as well at the Ports of their firſt Arrival, as the Ports of Entry in North-America. *By Order of the Commiſſioners,*

RICHARD REEVE, Secretary.

Boſton, April 14, 1769.

TWENTY POUNDS Reward.

BROKE out of Reading goal, in Berks county, on Monday night laſt, Matthias Dolnick, and William Reinichen; the ſaid Dolnick is ſuppoſed to be about 27 years of age, 5 feet 10 or 11 inches high, has dark brown hair, and ſwarthy complexion, has loſt the firſt joint of the fourth finger of his right hand, is a well made likely fellow, by trade a butcher, and ſpeaks good Engliſh, having ſerved his time in Philadelphia; he may be remarkable for having, within a few years paſt, accompanied one Singeiſen on his voyage to Germany, with a Buffaloe for a ſhow; had on, when he eſcaped, a blue cloth coat and jacket, half worn leather breeches, and pale blue yarn ſtockings, with good ſhoes, and ſilver buckles. The ſaid Reinichen is ſuppoſed to be about 32 years of age, about 6 feet high, ſlim made, has a long face, red hair and beard, and ſome of the fingers of his right hand have been cruſhed, ſpeaks broken Engliſh, is a hammerman by trade, and ſervant to Mr. Henry William Steigel (who lately advertiſed him as a runaway) had on, when he eſcaped, a new felt hat, a large black and yellow ſilk handkerchief, a blue coat, with mohair buttons, and blue worſted damaſk jacket, with plain white metal buttons made in the old German faſhion, and leather breeches. They are both natives of Germany, and have probably made towards the Jerſeys, as the ſaid Reinichen has heretofore worked at Mr. Haſſecleaver's forge. Whoever takes up and ſecures the ſaid Dolnick and Reinichen, in any of his Majeſty's goals, ſhall receive the above reward, or Ten Pounds for each, beſides reaſonable charges, paid by GEORGE NAGLE, Goaler.

April 25, 1769. ¶

IF the Gentleman, who ſent a Letter, under Cover to me, dated Bucks County, April 21, and ſigned, A Friend to Mankind, will apply to me in Perſon, I am impowered to give him all the Satisfaction he can deſire. THOMAS GORDON.

G. BARTRAM, and P. SHIRAS,

Have brought up to their ſtore, at Mountholly,

A LARGE and general aſſortment of European, Eaſt and Weſt-India GOODS, which were purchaſed on the beſt terms; therefore are determined to ſupply the town and country lower than has been done there for many years paſt, and purpoſes to ſell for ready money, or country produce, only.

N. B. The public will be made acquainted with the particulars of the Goods by another Advertiſement, in a few days time.

Imported in the laſt veſſels from London, Briſtol and Liverpool, and to be ſold by

SAMUEL PURVIANCE,

At his ſtore, in Front-ſtreet, near the Drawbridge,

AN Aſſortment of GOODS, ſuitable for the ſeaſon. Alſo alſo Madeira Wine, of the firſt quality, 5 years old, which he will ſell by the quarter caſk, or pipe, on reaſonable terms.

Philadelphia, May 10, 1769.

STRAYED from the Commons of this city, on Sunday laſt, a red milch COW, the tops of her horns ſawed off, and a rope round them. Whoever will bring her to the printer hereof, ſhall receive ONE DOLLAR for their trouble. Any perſon harbouring ſaid cow, may expect to be proſecuted.

ALEXANDER JOHNSTON,

AT the Croſs-roads, New-London townſhip, Cheſter county, has imported from London, Liverpool, Briſtol and Dublin, a general aſſortment of European and India GOODS, ſuitable for country ſtores, and travelling chapmen, which he will ſell at the Philadelphia prices, either wholeſale or retail, for ready money, or ſhort credit; conſiſting of broadcloths, ſhaloons, durants, and a variety of ſtuffs, hoſiery, haberdaſhery, a variety of checks and ozenbrigs, a large aſſortment of Iriſh linens, cottons, calicoes, cambricks and lawns, ironmongery, cutlary, nails, ſteel, ſhot and gunpowder, glaſs, tin plates, frying pans, mens beſt felt and caſtor hats, wool, tow, and cotton cards, with a variety of other goods, too tedious to mention.

He requeſts that thoſe who are indebted to him, above ſix months, do pay immediately, to prevent trouble. 3 M.

Freſh imported in the Philadelphia Packet, and other Ships late from LONDON, and to be ſold by

FRANCIS HOPKINSON,

At his ſtore, in Front-ſtreet, oppoſite to the City-vendue-ſtore,

A LARGE and compleat aſſortment of ſuperfine, fine, and ſecond BROADCLOTHS, with all ſuitable trimmings; amongſt which are, ſcarlet, crimſon, white, black, green; a variety of *pearl colours for womens cloaks*, browns, blues, drab colours, olive, raven-grey, mixtures, claret, roſe-colour, buff; alſo *billiard-cloth*, a few pieces of *buff ſuperfine caſſimers* for ſummer waiſtcoats, ſilk and worſted breeches patterns, damſon-mixt, high brown, blue and grey beaver coatings, very fine kerſeys, &c. &c.-----All which will be ſold on the moſt reaſonable terms poſſible, for ready money only.

Likewiſe beſt Hyſon TEA, at 28s. per Pound. 6 W.

Juſt imported in the Ship Dragon, Captain Read, from London, and now opening by

GEORGE FULLERTON,

At his Store in Cheſtnut-ſtreet, between Front and Second-ſtreets,

A LARGE Aſſortment of Spring and Summer GOODS, which he will ſell for Caſh, or the uſual Credit, on reaſonable Terms.

N. B. He has alſo a Variety of Cotton and Linen Checks, imported in the laſt Veſſel from Liverpool.

NOTICE is hereby given, for the laſt time, to all perſons indebted to the eſtate of Henry Baſler, late of Philadelphia, Innholder, deceaſed, to make full payment of their reſpective debts to the ſubſcriber, on or before the firſt day of July next, otherwiſe he ſhall proceed againſt them according to law. And all perſons having any demands againſt the ſaid eſtate are alſo deſired to bring in their accounts (duly proved) to the ſubſcriber, on or before the ſaid firſt day of July, otherwiſe they will be excluded, as he then expects to make a final ſettlement.

¶ PHILIP BRAM, Surviving Executor.

Best possible image.

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The PENNSYLVANIA GAZETTE.

Containing the Freſheſt Advices, Foreign and Domeſtic.

BOSTON, May 11.

After the Election on Friday laſt, the Hon. James Otis was choſen Moderator: And it was moved that a Committee be appointed to prepare Inſtructions for their Repreſentatives, and report: And Richard Dana, Eſq; John Adams, Eſq; John Ruddock, Eſq; Dr. Benjamin Church, Dr. Joſeph Warren, Joſhua Henſhaw, Eſq; and Mr. William Mollineux, were appointed accordingly.

On Monday laſt the Town met according to Adjournment, and the Committee reported the following Draft of Inſtructions; which being ſeveral Times diſtinctly read, was accepted by the Town, *nemine contradicente.*

To the Hon. JAMES OTIS, *and* THOMAS CUSHING, *Eſquires,*
Mr. SAMUEL ADAMS, *and* JOHN HANCOCK, *Eſq;*
GENTLEMEN,

YOU have once more received the higheſt Teſtimony of the Confidence and Affection of your Conſtituents, which the Conſtitution has impowered them to exhibit, the Truſt of repreſenting them in the Great and General Court or Aſſembly of this Province. This important Truſt is committed to you, at a Time when your Country demands the Exertion of all your Wiſdom, Fortitude and Virtue; and therefore it is preſumed, a free Communication of our Sentiments, cannot but be agreeable to you.

The firſt Object of your Attention is, the Privilege of that Aſſembly of which you are now choſen to be Members. The Debates there muſt be free: You will therefore exert yourſelves to remove every Thing that may carry the leaſt Appearance of an Attempt to awe or intimidate. As the Aſſembly is called to ſit in the uſual Place, common Decency, as well as the Honour and Dignity of a free Legiſlative, will require a Removal of thoſe Cannon and Guards, as well as that clamorous Parade which has been daily around the Court-houſe ſince the Arrival of his Majeſty's Troops; and at ſome Times, while the higheſt Court of Judicature has been ſitting there on the Trial even of capital Cauſes. When this grievance ſhall be removed, and the Debates of the Aſſembly ſhall be free, it will be natural to enquire into all the Grievances we have ſuffered from the military Power: Why they have been quartered in the Body of this Town, in Contradiction to the expreſs Words, and, as we conceive, the manifeſt Intention of an Act of Parliament: Why the Officers, who have thus violated our Rights, have not been called to Account, and dealt with as the Law required: Whether the Meaſure taken by the Governor of the Province, in appointing an extraordinary Officer to provide Quarters for the Troops, was not an Evaſion of the Act of Parliament made for the Billeting and Quartering his Majeſty's Troops in America (the profeſſed Rule of their Conduct) and deſigned to elude the Clauſe of ſaid Act, purpoſely providing for the Convenience of American Subjects, and their Security againſt an Exceſs of military Power:---Why the repeated Offences and Violences committed by the Soldiery againſt the Peace, and in open Defiance and Contempt of the civil Magiſtrate, and the Law, have eſcaped Puniſhment in the Courts of Juſtice: And whether the Attorney General has not, in ſome late Inſtances, unduly exerciſed a Power of entering "*Noli proſequi*," upon Indictments, without the Concurrence of the Court, in Obſtruction to the Courſe of Juſtice, and to the great Encouragement of Violence and Oppreſſion.

And as the quartering Troops here has proved the Occaſion of many Evils, we do earneſtly recommend to you, to uſe your utmoſt Endeavours for a ſpeedy Removal of them.

Should the Expence that has been incurred in providing Barracks for the Troops, and ſupplying them with Neceſſaries, be required of the Houſe of Repreſentatives, we do, in the moſt ſolemn and expreſs Manner, enjoin you by no Means to comply with ſuch a Requiſition. If the General Court is a free Aſſembly, no Power upon Earth has Authority to compel it to pay this Money: Should it ever be deprived of its Freedom, it ſhall never, with our Conſent, be made an Engine to drain us of the little Money we have left.

Another Object of great Importance, and which requires your earlieſt Attention, is a late flagrant and formal Attack upon the Conſtitution itſelf: An Attempt, not only to deprive us of the Liberties, Privileges and Immunities of our Charter, but the Rights of Britiſh Subjects. We have ſeen Copies of Letters publiſhed here, authenticated by the Clerk of the Papers to the Honorable Houſe of Commons, the Contents of which muſt have awakened the Jealouſy of the Country---the Deſign of the Writer is ſufficiently apparent: And conſidering his Station, as Repreſentative of the firſt Perſonage in the Empire, and the Rank of the Miniſter to whom he addreſſed himſelf, we cannot wonder that Credit has been given to his Letters in Great-Britain, and that they have already produced Effects alarming to the Colonies, and dangerous to both Countries. It is therefore expected, that you uſe the whole Influence you may have, that the injurious Impreſſions which they have unhappily made, may be removed, and that an effectual Antidote may be adminiſtered, before the Poiſon ſhall have wrought the Ruin of the Conſtitution.

It is unneceſſary for us, at this Time, to repeat our well known Sentiments concerning the Revenue, which is continually levied upon us, to our great Diſtreſs, and for no other End, than to ſupport a great Number of very unneceſſary Placemen and Penſioners. We have only to add, that our Sentiments on this Subject are in no Reſpect changed; and we expect that you purſue with firm Reſolution, and unremitted Ardor, every Meaſure that may tend to procure us Relief; never yielding your Conſent to, or Connivance at, the leaſt Encroachment on our Rights.

Next to the Revenue itſelf, the late Extenſions of the Juriſdiction of the Admiralty, are our greateſt Grievance. The American Courts of Admiralty ſeem to be forming by Degrees into a Syſtem, that is to overturn our Conſtitution, and to deprive us entirely of our beſt Inheritance, *the Law of the Land*. It would be thought in England, a dangerous Innovation, if the Trial of any Matter *upon Land* was given to the Admiral: It would be thought more threatning ſtill, if the Power of Confiſcation over Ships and Cargoes, for illicit Trade, was committed to that Court: But if the Forfeitures of Ships and Cargoes, large Penalties upon Maſters, and ſuch exorbitant Penalties as the treble Value of Cargoes, upon every Perſon concerned in landing uncuſtomed Goods, were by Act of Parliament appointed to be tried by the Admiral, the Nation would think their Liberties irrecoverably loſt.

This however is the miſerable Caſe of North-America! In the 41ſt § of the Statute of the 4th of George III. Chap. 15. we find, that "*All the Forfeitures and Penalties, inflicted by this or any other Act of Parliament, relating to the Trade and Revenues of the Britiſh Colonies or Plantations in America, which ſhall be incurred there, may be proſecuted, ſued for, and recovered, in any Court of Admiralty, in the ſaid Colonies.*" Thus, theſe extraordinary Penalties and Forfeitures are to be heard and tried----not by a Jury----not by the Law of the Land----but by the civil Law, and a ſingle Judge! Unlike *the antient Barons*, who anſwered with one Voice, "We will not, that the Laws of England be changed, which of old have been uſed and approved;" the Barons of *modern* Times ſeem to have anſwered, that they are willing thoſe Laws ſhould be changed, with Regard to America, in the moſt tender Point, and fundamental Principle!

And this Hardſhip is the more ſevere, as we ſee in the ſame Page of the Statute, and the Section immediately preceding, "That all Penalties and Forfeitures, which ſhall be incurred in Great-Britain, ſhall be proſecuted, ſued for, and recovered, in any of his Majeſty's Courts of Record in Weſtminſter, or in the Court of Exchequer in Scotland reſpectively." Here is a Contraſt that ſtares us in the Face! A partial Diſtinction that is made between the Subject in *Great-Britain*, and the Subject in *America!* The Parliament in one Section, guarding the People of the *Realm*, and ſecuring to them the Benefit of a Trial by *Jury*, and the Law of the Land, and by the next Section depriving *Americans* of thoſe important Rights.-----Is not this Diſtinction a Brand of Diſgrace upon every American? a Degradation below the Rank of an Engliſhman? Is it not, with reſpect to us, a Repeal of the 29th Chapter of MAGNA CHARTA? "*No Freeman ſhall be taken or impriſoned, or diſſeiſed of his Freehold, or Liberties, or free Cuſtoms, or outlawed, or exiled, or any otherwiſe deſtroyed, nor will we paſs upon him, nor condemn him, but by lawful Judgment of his Peers, or the Law of the Land.*" Engliſhmen are inviolably attached to the important Right expreſſed in this Clauſe, which for many Centuries has been the nobleſt Monument, and firmeſt Bulwark of their Liberties. One Proof of this Attachment, given us by a great Sage of the Law, we think proper to mention, not for your Information, but as the beſt Expreſſion of the Senſe of your Conſtituents. "*Againſt this ancient and fundamental Law, and in the Face thereof, ſays Lord* Coke, *I find an Act of Parliament made, that as well Juſtices of Aſſize, as Juſtices of Peace, without any finding or Preſentment of twelve Men, upon a bare Information for the King before them made, ſhould have full Power and Authority, by their Diſcretions, to hear and try Men, for Penalties and Forfeitures.*" His Lordſhip, after mentioning the Repeal of this Statute, and the Fate of *Empſon* and *Dudley*, who received the full Weight of the national Vengeance for acting under it, concludes with a Reflection, which, if well conſidered, might be ſufficient to diſcourage ſuch Attacks upon fundamental Principles. "*The ill Succeſs of this Statute, and the fearful End of theſe two Oppreſſors, ſhould deter others from committing the like, and ſhould admoniſh Parliaments, that inſtead of this ordinary and precious Trial by the Law of the Land, they bring not in abſolute and partial Trials by Diſcretion.*" Such are the Feelings and Reflections of an *Engliſhman*, upon a Statute, not unlike the Statute now under Conſideration, and upon Courts and Judges, not unlike the Courts and Judges of Admiralty in America.

The formidable power of theſe Courts, and their diſtreſſing Courſe of Proceedings, have been ſeverely felt within the Year paſt; many of your Fellow Citizens having been worn out with Attendance upon them, in Defence againſt Informations for *extravagant* and *enormous* Penalties. And we have the higheſt Reaſon to fear, from paſt Experience, that if no Relief is obtained for us, the Properties and Liberties of this unhappy Country, and its Morals too, will be ruined by theſe Courts, and the Perſons employed to ſupport them.

We therefore earneſtly recommend to you, by every legal Meaſure, to endeavour that the Power of theſe Courts may be confined to their *proper Element*, according to the antient Engliſh Statutes; and that you petition and remonſtrate againſt the late Extenſions of their Juriſdiction: And we doubt not, the other Colonies and Provinces, who ſuffer with us, under them, will chearfully harmonize with this, in any juſtifiable Meaſures that may be taken for Redreſs.

We need not here take Occaſion to inſtruct you, That while you in the moſt ample Manner teſtify your Loyalty to our Gracious Sovereign, you ſtrenuouſly aſſert and maintain the Right of the Subject, jointly or ſeverally to petition the King; or to declare it as our clear Opinion, that the Houſe of Repreſentatives, in any one Province, has an undeniable Right, whenever a juſt Occaſion ſhall offer, to communicate their Sentiments upon a common Concern, to the Aſſemblies of any or all the other Colonies, and to unite with them in humble, dutiful, and loyal Petitions for Redreſs of a general Grievance."

Then the Meeting was further adjourned to the 22d Inſtant.

Previous to this Adjournment, the Town unanimouſly expreſſed their high Satisfaction, on being informed that the Merchants had ſo ſtrictly adhered to their late Agreement relative to a Non-importation of European Merchandize, and VOTED, that it be, and hereby is RECOMMENDED to the Inhabitants, not to purchaſe any Goods of thoſe few Perſons who have imported any Articles in the Veſſels lately arrived from Great-Britain, not included in ſaid Agreement; but, on the contrary, to uſe their Influence to promote, in the Way of Trade, the Intereſt of thoſe Gentlemen who have freely preferred the future Welfare of their Country, and all North-America, to any preſent Advantage of their own. *Atteſt.* WILLIAM COOPER, *Town-Clerk.*

Will be SOLD, to the HIGHEST BIDDER, at the LONDON COFFEE-HOUSE, on Wedneſday, the 31ſt inſtant May, at 6 o'Clock in the Evening,

A FEW FAMILY MEDICINE CHESTS, containing a very compleat Aſſortment of DRUGS, ready prepared for immediate Uſe, with proper Directions.

Philadelphia, May 16, 1769.

OLD LISBON and Madeira Wines, Jamaica Spirits, Rum, Bohea Tea, Loaf, Lump and Muſcovado Sugars, Jar and Keg Raiſins, Olives, Pruans, Coffee, Ginger, Rice, Melaſſes, Muſtard, Chocolate, Pepper, Starch, Wine Vinegar, &c. &c. &c. to be ſold cheap (for Caſh only) by

SAMUEL GARRIGUES, junior,

At his Grocery Warehouſe, in Second-ſtreet, the ſecond Door from the Corner of Walnut-ſtreet.

N. B. Maſters of Veſſels, and others, may be provided with Sea Stores, at the loweſt Rates. ¶

Philadelphia, May 18, 1769.

To be SOLD, by the SUBSCRIBER,

ONE undivided third part of Elizabeth Furnace, in Lancaſter county, and of the lands thereunto belonging, containing 11,124 acres.

One undivided third part of Charming Forge, in Berks county, and of the lands belonging to it, containing 4220 acres; there is an inexhauſtible quantity of the beſt ore belonging to theſe works, and wood ſufficient to ſupply them for any time to come.

Two hundred acres of good land in Lancaſter county, unimproved, near Harris's ferry.

A valuable plantation in Huntington townſhip, York county, containing 520 acres of land; on this place are erected, a good dwelling-houſe, barn, ſtables, and other out-houſes; there are 150 acres of good meadow on this place, part of which is cleared.

Six thouſand ſeven hundred acres of very good land in the county of Cumberland.

A houſe and lot in the town of Reading, which now letts for Eight Pounds per annum.

Any perſon or perſons inclining to purchaſe the above eſtate, or any part thereof, may enquire for further particulars of the Subſcriber, at his houſe, in Market-ſtreet,

3 M. ALEXANDER STEDMAN.

Juſt imported, in the Mary and Elizabeth, Captain Sparks, and other Veſſels, from LONDON, by

JOSEPH STANSBURY,

And now ſelling at his Shop in Second-ſtreet, near Arch-ſtreet,

A NEAT aſſortment of China, glaſs, cream coloured, flint, Nottingham and delph wares, conſiſting of CHINA diſhes, table plates, variety of tea and coffee cups and ſaucers, blue and white, burnt, enamelled and penciled; cuſtard cups, Nankin breakfaſt ſetts; a genteel tea table ſett, enamelled; tea pots, jarrs and beakers; a large aſſortment of bowls, from 3 quarts to half pints, great choice of right tavern bowls; and a very neat tureen and diſh, blue and white. CREAM COLOURED fruit plates and ſtands, leaves and ſcollop ſhells of different ſizes, extremely neat, bread baſkets, diſhes and covers, ſugar bowls, pierced and plain, ſallad diſhes, water jugs, tureens, cheeſe-toaſters and warming pans, candleſticks, new pattern, and well proportioned; ſauce boats, garden pots, pierced deſert plates, coffee pots, flower pots, prints for blanc-mangée, and baking diſhes of all ſizes. WHITE STONE plates, plain and figured edges, ſome of a very ſuperior quality, quart, pint, and half pint mugs and bowls, coffee cups and ſaucers, chamber pots, enamelled bowls, and cups and ſaucers. NOTTINGHAM pudding diſhes, bowls, jugs and mugs. DELF bowls in great variety, plain and coloured plates, painted bottles and baſons, chamber pots, and ſugar diſhes. Some very neat *Red China* tea and water pots, marbled and gilt ditto. GLASS decanters and muſtard pots, with plain and ground ſtoppers, plain, enamelled and engraved wines, very cheap, wine and water rummers, ſalts, cut and plain, cream jugs, with feet and without, cruits, flowered tumblers, and many other articles, the whole of the beſt quality, highly finiſhed in an excellent taſte, and at very reaſonable prices.

Black lead pencils of all ſizes and prices, Durnford and London pins, Whitechapel and common needles, ſorted, pocket looking-glaſſes, *horn and ivory muſtard ſpoons*, and an aſſortment of cutlery, wholeſale and retail.

JOHN SMITH,

Is now opening at his ſhop in Second-ſtreet, the ſecond door below Cheſtnut-ſtreet, a large and neat aſſortment of ſpring and ſummer GOODS, imported in the laſt veſſels from Europe, which he will ſell wholeſale and retail, cheap for caſh, viz.

BROADCLOTHS, Wilton cloths, worſted and ſilk ſagathies, jeans, fuſtians and thickſets, duroys, ſerge denim, everlaſtings, ſtriped and plain perſians, black, blue and cloth coloured ſattins, paduaſoys, taffeties and peelongs, brown and changeable mantuas, black and blue flowered modes, half yard and half ell white and coloured perſians and ſarſnets, black and cloth coloured India taffeties, black ſilk velvets, twilled cotton velvets and velverets, a large aſſortment of mens and womens, boys and girls thread and cotton ſtockings, mens black, white, and marbled plain and ribbed ſilk ditto, worſted and ſilk, and worſted ditto, variety of 2, 3 and 4 thread worſted breeches patterns, a few pieces fine black ſilk ditto, an aſſortment of ſtriped damaſcus, ſooſees and ginghams, India nankeens, plain, ſtriped and maſqueraded Bengals, yard wide and 6-qr. muſlins and humhums, muſlin handkerchiefs, 7-8ths and yard wide cambricks and lawns, flowered lawns, piſtol and long lawns, corded and flowered yard wide dimity, 6 and 8-qr. huckaback, diaper and damaſk cloths, clouting diaper, variety of cottons, calicoes and chintzes, worſted and hair grazets, hairbines, maſquerades and poplins, crapes and brilliants, dorſetteens, calimancoes, Flanders ticks, bed bunts and ticken, cotton counterpanes, cambletts, chip and Leghorn hats, ſilk handkerchiefs, ſilk mitts, mens, womens and childrens leather gloves and mitts, ivory, bone and brown ſtick fans, wax beads, Iriſh linens and hollands, Iriſh and Ruſſia ſheetings, ozenbrigs, variety of linen and cotton checks, ſtriped linen and cotton hollands, &c. with ſeveral other goods not mentioned. Tbc. 6 W.

BY virtue of a writ of Levari Facias, to me directed, will be expoſed to public ſale, on the 6th day of June next, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, on the premiſes, a certain meſſuage, tenement, plantation and tract of land, ſituate in the townſhip of Lower Makefield, bounded by lands late of Edward Bailey, Richard Marjoram, and the river Delaware; containing about 320 acres, on which there are, a good ſtone houſe, barn and orchard, well ſituated, in good repair, and in a pleaſant part of the country; late the property of Hezekiah Anderſon, deceaſed; ſeized in execution, and to be ſold by JOSEPH ELLICOTT, Sheriff. †

Imported in the laſt Veſſels from London, &c. A large Aſſortment of European and India Goods, to be diſpoſed of, on reaſonable Terms, for Caſh or ſhort Credit, by

JOSEPH SIMS,

At his Store, below the Drawbridge.

Said Sims has alſo to diſpoſe of, a large Copper STILL, and Worm for Ditto, which he will ſell very cheap. ‡

TO be SOLD at BENJAMIN KENDALL's ſtore, next door to the Tun and Croſs-Keys tavern, the corner of Third and Cheſtnut-ſtreets, wholeſale and retail, a large quantity of FLAX and HEMP, ready dreſſed, at the loweſt Prices. ¶

[*For more new Advertiſements, ſee the Fourth Page.*]

Shall I go to War with my American Brethren? A Diſcourſe from Judges the xxth and 28th, addreſſed to all concerned in determining that important Queſtion. By B------ F-------, Eſq;

A Spirit of good Senſe and Moderation breathes through the whole of this political Sermon; which, though it contains no ſubtile or perplexing Arguments, founded on doubtful Calculations, well deſerves the Attention of thoſe to whom it is addreſſed. A Specimen or two of his Pleas in Behalf of the Americans, will juſtify this Recommendation.

"Though Britons in general are convinced, that the Claims of our Colonies are not founded either in Law or in Equity; yet as in theſe Claims they are not without ſpecious Pleas, it merits ſerious Deliberation, whether the conſtraining them to renounce them, may not have worſe Conſequences, than conniving at them. It had need to be ſomething highly valuable that we wreſt from a fooliſh and headſtrong Child, or an ill adviſed Friend, at the Hazard of a Leg or Arm, not to ſay of their Life. Let us excuſe our Am-----n Brethren, if an honeſt Zeal againſt what they deem perhaps unreaſonable, an Encroachment on their natural and unalienable Rights, hath tranſported ſome of the more undiſcerning among them beyond the Bounds of Decency, and led them to ſay and do what, upon Reflection, they muſt needs repent. Where is the Age, where the Country, in which any remarkable Efforts for the public Good, againſt the Inroads of real or imagined Deſpotiſm, have been conducted with entire Prudence, and no unjuſtifiable Violence committed in the Cauſe of Liberty?

"But if you diſregard the Evils in which you may involve our Colonies, at leaſt regard thoſe in which B-----n herſelf may be involved. If ſhe ſhould not prevail, how dreadful muſt be the Conſequence? Our once happy Iſland ſhall lament, when too late, the Ruin of her Commerce and naval Power, and ſee herſelf an eaſy Prey to her deadly Foes.

"Tell me not, that it is certain, from the Wealth and Power of Great-Britain, that ſhe muſt prevail, and that her Colonies are as yet too weak to give her any effectual Oppoſition. That this is probable, I allow; that it is certain, no wiſe or modeſt Man will venture to aſſert.

"Say not," ſays our political Preacher, "that the North-Americans are a froward murmuring People, not to be ſatisfied. Where were their Murmurs, before the unhappy Stamp-Act? Where was the Corner in his Majeſty's Dominions, that open Rebellion, or ſecret Diſaffection, had leſs diſturbed; and where Loyalty to the Prince, and a zealous, I had almoſt ſaid, an enthuſiaſtic Attachment to the Mother Country, more univerſally prevailed? Did they ever diſpute the Right of the Crown to repeal Laws enacted in the Colonies, and to determine finally in Appeals from their Courts of Juſtice; or the Right of Parliament to regulate their Trade and Manufactures, ſo as they deemed neceſſary for the general Good of the Britiſh Empire? Did they not quietly ſubmit to Prohibitions of carrying, to other Nations, Commodities that might enable them to interfere with the Trade of the Mother-Country; to Prohibitions of manufacturing Hats, Iron, and Steel; and to many other Reſtraints, very prejudicial to their ſeparate Intereſts? What Power of Parliament have they ever queſtioned, unleſs the Power of levying Taxes, to raiſe a Revenue for the Support of Government in America; and ſhall we condemn them without Mercy, for queſtioning the Exiſtence of a Power, which, till a few Years ago, never appeared? When were the brave and generous New-Englanders backward, called or uncalled, to hazard their Lives, and ſpend their Treaſure, for the Honour and Intereſt of Britain? Have you forgot their heroic, though unſucceſsful Expeditions againſt Canada; or their ſurprizing Conqueſt of Louiſbourg? What had Britain done for New-England before that Conqueſt, any way comparable to what New-England then did for Britain? Have not the New-England Colonies, on different Occaſions, exerted themſelves ſo much beyond their Power, that a grateful Prince and Parliament have ſeen Cauſe to refund them? How ſtrong was the Connection, founded on ſuch a mutual Interchange of Benefits? Who was the wretched Confounder of all this Harmony? Who raiſed a Spirit of Diſcord between the Mother and Children? Children yet unborn will remember his Name, but they will remember it with Grief and Indignation."

St. JOHN's (in ANTIGUA) April 19.

From Dominica we have an Account of a Sloop, with Flour, being loſt there, occaſioned by a heavy Swell; and that a Ship, with Sugar and Coffee, and a Pettiauger, were in great Danger of ſharing the ſame Misfortune.

We likewiſe hear, that a Ship from Europe for Grenada, was loſt on the Grenadines.

KINGSTON (in JAMAICA) *April* 6.

By a Veſſel which arrived on Monday laſt from Hiſpaniola, we have an Account of ſome very extraordinary Diſturbances in that Iſland. It ſeems, the Number of regular Troops not being very conſiderable, the Count d'Eſtaign, who was lately in the Government, had ſubjected the Inhabitants to military Duty, and eſtabliſhed ſuch ſtrict Diſcipline, as rendered it exceedingly burthenſome. Whether the Count acted herein by Orders from his Court, does not appear; but it is ſaid, that upon an Offer from the Inhabitants of the Sum of Seven Millions of Livres, he undertook to procure from France a ſufficient Number of regular Forces, to relieve them from ſuch Kind of Service in future; and this Sum was accordingly paid, but whether any Troops arrived in Conſequence thereof, we are not informed. It appears, however, that the Inhabitants were relieved for a Time from the Severity of military Diſcipline, till the Prince de Mombaiſon, the preſent Governor, lately thought proper to ſummon the Inhabitants to perform Duty as formerly, which they abſolutely refuſed to do, and upon the Prince's endeavouring to compel them by Force, took to Arms in their Defence, and defeated the regular Troops in two different Engagements, ſo that when the above Veſſel ſailed, every Thing was in the utmoſt Confuſion and Diſorder.---- This is the beſt Account we have been able to procure of the Matter, but as ſoon as a more full and perfect Relation ſhall arrive, we ſhall loſe no Time in laying it before our Readers.

QUEBEC, *April* 27.

Monday Night laſt the Ice in the Great River SAINT LAWRENCE broke up before this City, &c.

Charles-Town, South-Carolina, March 30.

A Gentleman who left Cape-Francois the 28th of laſt month, informs us, that the behaviour of the French on Hiſpaniola towards the Engliſh, was lately much altered, and far from being ſo friendly or polite as it had been for ſome time before; that they talk'd much of, and ſeemed to wiſh for, an approaching war; that a large ſnow, with a great quantity of cannon, and other military ſtores, had lately arrived there, ſince which the utmoſt aſſiduity was exerted in putting that and other ports, into a good ſtate of defence; and that the ſaid ſnow brought an account of 35 ſail of French veſſels being loſt in a gale of wind at Bourdeaux, the 4th of December, amongſt them ſeveral ſtore-ſhips, and other veſſels, in the King's ſervice, deſtined to the different iſlands.

Capt. Francis Dickinſon, who arrived here laſt Saturday from Jamaica, and with whom Mr. Nathaniel Heyward, merchant, came paſſenger, informs us, that on the 7th and 8th inſtant, he ſaw a Spaniſh fleet of very large ſhips, the leaſt of them of 60 guns, one having a flag at the foretop-gallantmaſt head, and another a commodore's broad pendant, ſailing all in a line, and ſteering towards St. Jago de Cuba: He endeavoured to ſpeak with them, but it being calm could not, and by their behaviour, they ſeemed to avoid being ſpoke with. Capt. Dickinſon called at the Mole of Cape St. Nicola the 11th inſtant, was very ſtrictly examined by the French Officers there, and left at that place about 50 ſail of Engliſh veſſels.

April 20. Laſt Sunday arrived here from Boſton, his Majeſty's Sloop Viper, commanded by Capt. Lindſay, with diſpatches from Commodore Hood (who now commands all his Majeſty's ſhips ſtationed between Halifax and Cape-Florida) and alſo from the honourable Board of Commiſſioners of the Cuſtoms; and, we hear, is to return in a few days, with all the CASH that has been collected here, and in North-Carolina, in virtue of the new REVENUE ACTS, which the Board has ſent for.

April 27. The additional bounty on hemp raiſed in this province, ceaſed on the 18th inſtant, when the duty formerly laid on naval ſtores and lumber imported from other colonies, again took place. Upwards of £20,000 bounty-money, has been paid out of the Treaſury here, on hemp, within the courſe of a year.

May 1. From New Providence we learn, that ſeven of their ſmall fiſhing Veſſels have been taken on the North Side of Cuba, by the Spaniards, who, it is ſaid, have likewiſe taken a Schooner belonging to this Port.

A Sloop ----- Machard, Maſter, from Boſton for George-town, Winyaw, is loſt on Cape Romaine, the People ſaved.

May 9. Wedneſday laſt Mr. Iſaac Waldron, one of our Pilots, ſpoke with Captain Dyer, off this Bar, in a Sloop from Philadelphia for St. Auguſtine, all well.

WILLIAMSBURG, May 11.

The SPEECH *of his* EXCELLENCY *the Right Honourable* NORBORNE *Baron de* BOTETOURT, *his Majeſty's Lieutenant and Governor General of the Colony and Dominion of Virginia, and Vice Admiral of the ſame, to the General Aſſembly, convened at the Capitol on Monday, the 8th Day of May,* 1769.

Gentlemen of the Council, Mr. Speaker, and Gentlemen of the Houſe of Burgeſſes,

THE King having been graciouſly pleaſed to appoint me to the high Office of his Majeſty's Lieutenant and Governor General of this his antient and loyal Colony and Dominion of *Virginia*, I loſt no Time in repairing to my Government, in order to enter as ſoon as poſſible upon the Execution of the important Truſt committed to my Charge; and give me Leave to aſſure you, that it is with the greateſt Satisfaction, I have now, in Obedience to his Majeſty's Command, the Honour to meet you in General Aſſembly.

You, Gentlemen, who know intimately the true Intereſts of the Colony, are the beſt Judges of the Meaſures neceſſary to be purſued for its Advantage and Proſperity; and the frequent Experience his Majeſty has had of your Zeal and Wiſdom, leaves no Room in the Royal Breaſt, to doubt that you will give me all ſuch Advice and Aſſiſtance, as may enable me to promote and render permanent the Happineſs of *Virginia*; a ſteady Purſuit of which is the firſt and great Command of my Royal Maſter, who entertains the moſt paternal Affection for all his Subjects in every Part of his Dominions, however remote from the Seat of his Empire, and makes the general Happineſs of them all equally the Object of his Royal Care and Attention.

For my own Part, however conſcious I may be of Want of Ability, I ſhall not doubt, through your Counſel and Support, to be enabled to do my Duty as becomes a faithful Servant to the beſt of Sovereigns, and a moſt ſincere Friend to the Welfare of this Colony. It is to theſe Principles I am to truſt for Succeſs in my Adminiſtration, and I hope by my Actions to merit your Confidence and Affection.

It is with great Satisfaction I have the Honour to acquaint you, that her Majeſty was laſt *November* happily delivered of a Princeſs, and that both are well.

Mr. Speaker, and Gentlemen of the Houſe of Burgeſſes,

I have nothing to aſk, but that you conſider well, and follow exactly, without Paſſion or Prejudice, the real Intereſts of thoſe you have the Honour to repreſent; they are moſt certainly conſiſtent with the Proſperity of *Great-Britain*, and ſo they will for ever be found, when purſued with Temper and Moderation.

Gentlemen of the Council, Mr. Speaker, and Gentlemen of the Houſe of Burgeſſes,

It is a peculiar Felicity to me, and a great Addition to the many Honours I have received from my Royal Maſter, that I have it in Command from his Majeſty to declare and communicate, what will be ſo honourable to this Colony, and muſt therefore be ſo agreeable to you, his gracious Intention, that for the future his Chief Governors of *Virginia* ſhall reſide within their Government."

To his EXCELLENCY *the Right Honourable* NORBORNE *Baron de* BOTETOURT, *his Majeſty's Lieutenant and Governor General of the Colony and Dominion of Virginia, and Vice Admiral of the ſame,*

The humble ADDRESS *of the* COUNCIL.

May it pleaſe your EXCELLENCY,

WE his Majeſty's dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Council of this his moſt antient Colony and Dominion of *Virginia*, now met in General Aſſembly, return your Excellency our hearty Thanks for your kind and affectionate Speech at the Opening of this Seſſion.

And as every Event that adds to the domeſtic Happineſs of the beſt of Sovereigns, muſt give the ſincereſt Joy to all his Subjects, we beg Leave to rejoice with your Lordſhip on the ſafe Delivery of the Queen, and the Birth of another Princeſs.

Our Minds are filled with the moſt lively Sentiments of Gratitude to his Majeſty, for his great Goodneſs in appointing a Governor in Chief to reſide among us.

The Arrival of your Lordſhip in that Capacity, has diffuſed a general Joy through the whole Country; and we flatter ourſelves, from your Lordſhip's Experience, and great Knowledge in the true Principles of Government, that when the Annals of theſe Times ſhall be handed down to Poſterity, they will here begin a new Æra; your Lordſhip's Adminiſtration will be diſtinguiſhed by the Love of Order, the ſteady and impartial Diſtribution of Juſtice, and the Conſtitution will be fixed on the ſolid Baſis of public Liberty.

Permit us, my Lord, to indulge this pleaſing Hope, and to aſſure your Excellency, in the ſtrongeſt Manner, of our unſhaken Fidelity to his Majeſty, and our firm Attachment to his ſacred Perſon and Government; on the Support of which, we are fully convinced, the Safety and Proſperity of this Colony will entirely depend."

To which his EXCELLENCY *was pleaſed to return the following* ANSWER.

GENTLEMEN of the COUNCIL,

IT is impoſſible to be more pleaſed and obliged than I am by every Word in your moſt affectionate Addreſs.

I rejoice in your Ideas; and will report to my Royal Maſter, that his Council of Virginia *will yield to none of his Subjects, in Loyalty and Devotion to his ſacred Perſon and Government.*

ANNAPOLIS, May 18.

Extract of a Letter from a Gentleman in London, *to his Friend in this Province, dated Feb.* 15, 1769.

"You will, no Doubt, before your Receipt of this, have been fully informed of the Reſolutions of Parliament in regard to *America*, and that you have very little Favour to expect whilſt the preſent Miniſtry are at the Helm. A little Time may probably produce a Change in the political Machine; 'til when, a cool, temperate, and ſteady Conduct, a ſtrict Oeconomy, and great Induſtry, together with the firmeſt Union, will avail you much, as they will not only demonſtrate to your Enemies how much their own Welfare depends upon the Preſervation of your Affections, but convince them of the Folly, as well as Futility, of every Attempt to oppreſs you.

"By ſome of the public Prints, lately received from your Parts, I find Religion brought at laſt into the Diſpute, in order, no Doubt, either to promote, or increaſe your Diviſions, in Conformity to the trite Adage, *Divide & Impera*; for what other End can Men poſſibly aim at by the Introduction of Religious Controverſy at this Juncture? Believe me, my Friend, there are few Provinces amongſt you where an *Æſchines* may not be found. The Anſwer of the *Delphian* Oracle to *Philip* of *Macedon* is, on this Occaſion, worthy of Obſervation. *Make Coin thy Weapon, and thou'lt conquer all.* The Succeſs anſwered his Expectation, for by bribing their Orators to promote their Diviſions, *Greece* may be ſaid more properly to have been bought, than conquered. How diſgraceful to the Authors are ſuch Diſputes at this alarming Criſis, and how little do theſe Men imitate the Conduct of *Themiſtocles* and *Ariſtides*, before the Battle of *Salamin*, who, though at the greateſt perſonal Enmity with each other, when the Liberties of their Country were in ſuch imminent Danger, became immediately reconciled, and nobly ſacrificed their private Reſentment to the Public Good.

"It gives me Concern too to find, from ſome late Exportations from hence, the leaſt Deſign of one Province taking any ungenerous Advantage of the Diſtreſſes of another, and furniſhing thereby an Example, which, if followed by others, might be fatal to the Liberties of all *America*. What have thoſe Men to anſwer for, who would run the Riſk of ſacrificing, not only the Welfare of themſelves and Children, but even of Millions yet unborn, for the momentary Gratification of their own ſelfiſh and ſordid Paſſions? Let not this however betray you into any future unreaſonable Diſtruſt, ſo as to thwart the general Good, ſince it is your own Faults if you are not all happy, and which Nothing but your Diſunion, and the moſt imprudent Meaſures, can prevent; and I ſtill hope that the prophetic Spirit of thoſe Perſons, who have foretold your Deſtruction from the Schiſm that will prevail in the mercantile Body, will be ſoon put to Silence. The noble Sacrifice this reſpectable Body of Men ſo readily made in the Affair of the Stamp-Act, is a ſufficient Proof of their Public Virtue, and as their Conduct upon that Occaſion was crowned with all the Succeſs they could have wiſhed, there is little Reaſon to apprehend they will at preſent adopt any other.

"But whatever may be the future Proceedings of the Merchants with you, the People ought to enter immediately into the ſtricteſt Aſſociations for the Encouragement of Oeconomy and Induſtry, to diſcourage, by every lawful Means in their Power, the Importation of *European* Manufactures, and to diſtinguiſh with----thoſe Perſons who would endeavour to derive private Advantages from public Calamity, either by advancing the Prices of their Commodities, or by a Continuance of their Imports. Theſe Aſſociations too, in order to be effectual, ought to extend to the Importations of one Province into another, reſpecting the particular Species of Goods to be enumerated, for Reaſons too obvious to need mentioning.

"At the ſame Time likewiſe you make a Sacrifice of your own Pride and Vanity, by appearing as much as poſſible in home-ſpun Manufacture, there ſeems a Neceſſity of inſpiring the ſofter Sex with an equal Spirit of Patriotiſm, by making them fully ſenſible what they owe on this Occaſion to their Country, themſelves, and their Children, and by laying before them the many Examples of heroic Virtue and Magnanimity, recorded of their Sex by Hiſtorians in all Ages. It ſeems indeed ſomewhat ſurpriſing, that whilſt our Heroines of this Iſland are diſplaying their Love of Liberty, by the moſt generous Subſcriptions to the Aſſiſtance of that illuſtrious Stranger *Paoli*, ſo little of the ſame Spirit appears in the Fair in *America*, where every virtuous and generous Motive that ought to engage the Attention of the human Heart, calls for their utmoſt Aſſiſtance. We find at preſent very little Alteration in the Demand for Tea, Silks, Ribbons, Lace, and every other expenſive Article of Female Vanity, though that for the coarſeſt Woollens ſeems conſiderably abated. My Concern for a People whom I have long known, and whoſe Loyalty to the illuſtrious Houſe of *Hanover* hath never yet been tainted, increaſes my Anxiety for your Welfare; and there is little Reaſon to doubt of your obtaining a full Redreſs of all your Grievances by an Adoption of prudent Meaſures, and avoiding every Kind of Riot and Tumult, by a due Support of, and Obedience to the Civil Power, and by maintaining, with a decent and manly Firmneſs, thoſe civil and religious Rights delivered down to you by your Forefathers, and of which you are only the Depoſitaries, or Truſtees of, to Poſterity.

"Be as one Man,--------Concord Succeſs inſures----
"There's not an honeſt Heart but what is yours."

BOSTON, May 15.

In ſuch Deteſtation do People hold the late Importers of Engliſh Goods, that on Thurſday Evening laſt one of them was voted out of a Fire Club, as a Perſon unworthy to aſſociate with Men who profeſs a Regard for the Public Welfare.

Extract of a letter from New-York, dated May 1, 1769.

"I have but a few Minutes to write before the Poſt ſets out---ſo can give you only a ſhort Account of our Proceedings here in Support of the Agreement for Non Importation of Britiſh Goods---In the Britannia, Capt. Munds, there came a conſiderable Quantity of Goods for Merchants in Town--In Conſequence of which the Merchants had a Meeting the Day after her Arrival, and it is ſaid came to a Reſolution to ſtore the Goods, but not uſe them: But this did not ſatisfy the People---they generally tho't it beſt the Goods ſhould be ſent back again to England. As ſoon as this was known to be the general Sentiment, which was about ten o'Clock laſt Night, Application was made to a Printer, and by a little after 12, 1000 Advertiſements were ſtruck off, deſiring all the Inhabitants to meet this Morning at 10 o'Clock at the Coffee-Houſe, on Buſineſs of the utmoſt Conſequence: Theſe Advertiſements, late as it was, were diſtributed before Day all over the City: The People met at the Time and Place appointed, and unanimouſly inſiſted that the Goods ſhould be ſent back to England; which was readily and ſolemnly promiſed by the Merchants they came to? On which the People gave them three Cheers, and diſperſed.----- No body doubts the Honor of the Merchants in being true to their Promiſe, but yet Care will be taken that they are ſo, in order to ſatisfy the People; ſo that the Ship will be watched till her Departure.--This may ſhow our Brethren in Boſton, as well as on the other Side of the Water, how much we were in earneſt."------

We hear that Captain Shand's Veſſel, that arrived at Providence laſt Week from London, is fully loaded with Goods; but we are informed from good Authority, that there is not a ſingle Package on board her for any Merchant in this Town.

Extract of a Letter from a Clergyman in London, *to one in this Province.*

"I wiſh it was in my Power to tranſmit you good News from this far Country: But alas! there is nothing of this Nature that offers. National Religion, Virtue, and Love of Liberty, are very low. Among the many Profeſſors, with which we abound, there are but few who appear to poſſeſs the Power of Godlineſs. The Influences of the Spirit are greatly withdrawn, and ſo the Glory is departed from us. The Morals of the People are greatly corrupted, through the pernicious Example of the high and mighty, who complain bitterly of that Inſolence and Debauchery among the low, that they themſelves have been the Means of propagating. We have had a great Cry among Numbers about Liberty, but I am afraid the real Friends of it are few, whereas the Meaſures purſued by Government require the multiplied Increaſe of them, that ſo Poſterity may be happy. Should the preſent Plans be purſued, Matters muſt come to a Criſis, and Liberty more effectually ſecured, or loſt entirely. The Miniſtry are too ſtrong for the few Virtuous in the Houſe, and can do as they pleaſe. The American Grievances muſt remain; and if you mean to have them redreſſed, you muſt diſtreſs the Nation, by leaving off, as far as poſſible, trading with it. Nothing but Intereſt will produce you the deſired Relief. Promote, by Example and Converſation, the Diſcouragement of all Engliſh Goods. Perſiſt in ſuch Steps but a few Years, and you will, in all Likelihood, yea I think you muſt, carry your Point."

His Majeſty's Ships Romney, and Huſſar, ſailed laſt Saturday for Halifax. The Commodore's broad Pendant is now hoiſted on board the Rippon, which is the only King's Ship now in this Harbour.

We hear that the Detachment of the 59th Regiment, commanded by Captain Wilſon, is to embark for Halifax this Week.

NEW-YORK, *May* 18.

This Morning, about One o' Clock, after a long Trial, before a Court of Admiralty, held in the City-Hall, conſiſting of his Excellency the Governor, the Gentlemen of his Majeſty's Council, &c. Joſeph Andrews was found guilty of Piracy and Murder, and condemned to be hanged, having in Auguſt, or September, 1766, in Concert with Nicholas Johnſon, both Mariners on board the Sloop Polly, Captain Duryee, of this Port, bound to the Weſt-Indies, on the Paſſage murdered the ſaid Captain, the Mate, a Boy, and two Paſſengers, for which Johnſon was executed the ſame Year, in Euſtatia.

Stephen Porter, another Pyrate and Murderer, and who has been confined in our Goal for near two Years, on Suſpicion of murdering Captain Weſtcot, of the Sloop Sally, of Briſtol, in the Year 1766 alſo, and whoſe Trial was to have come on laſt Friday, hanged himſelf in the Goal the Night before, with a ſmall Cord he had allowed him to keep up his Irons. His Body was the next Day buried at a Croſs-Road, and a Stake drove through the ſame.

May 22. The Spaniards are determined to render the Havanna impregnable againſt any future Attempts:---They are now extending their Works from the Moro, for ſeveral Hundred Yards, upon the Hill where the Engliſh Batteries were erected during the late Siege, and in ſuch a Manner as to render every Acceſs to the Moro impracticable; and they give out, that the new Works ſhall be much ſtronger than the Moro; and to all Appearance they are; but very unfortunate for them, they muſt extend their Lines much farther than they are at preſent, otherwiſe the Conqueſt of the Moro will be effected much eaſier than before, by an Error in their Works, which they are perfectly unacquainted with: And the Day approaches wherein they will ſtand in Need of many Velaſcoes, to ſpirit them in their own Defence, notwithſtanding the preſent avowed Inſolence of their Peaſants, and others, to Engliſh Veſſels, when they approach their Coaſts; a true Indication of a puſilanimous and inſignificant Defence hereafter.

In Boſton there is handed about a printed Paper, with the Names of eleven Merchants, who have imported Goods into that Port from Great-Britain, contrary to the general Agreement, with the Deſign of caſting the public Odium on them; and ſtrongly recommending it to every One, not to purchaſe any Goods from them:---Such a Mark of public Infamy, it is thought, will go farther than any coercive Puniſhment whatſoever.

Extract of a Letter from a Gentleman in Briſtol to his Friend in this City.

"We are concerned at the Reſtrictions laid here by A--------n on your Trade, and more ſo, when we find it determined to defend every Act of Deſpotiſm it has been guilty of. The ſame Tyranny is exerciſed here, and our Liberty is not more real than yours."

Our laſt Advices from Penſacola inform us of the following Particulars, viz.

That on the firſt of April in the Evening, arrived his Majeſty's Ship Tryal, commanded by Captain Philips, having on board his Excellency Governor Elliot; and on the next Day, at 11 o'Clock, when his Excellency left the Ship, attended by the ſeveral Barges, he was ſaluted by the Men of War, and at his landing, received the ſame Compliment from the Batteries of the Garriſon, with every military Honour from the Officers Guard, which was ready to receive him, and was conducted to the Province Houſe, by the Members of his Majeſty's Council, the Officers of the Garriſon, and the Commons Houſe of Aſſembly, and many other Perſons of Diſtinction.

On the Day following, his Excellency's Commiſſions as Captain General and Governor in Chief of Weſt Florida, Chancellor and Vice Admiral of the ſame, were publicly read, and announced by the Acclamations of every Inhabitant, and a triple Diſcharge from the Detachments of his Majeſty's North Britiſh Fuzileers, and 31ſt Regiment of Foot, who were under Arms upon this happy Occaſion; and it is with Pleaſure we can aſſure the Public, that there is the greateſt Harmony ſubſiſting between the civil and military Departments, animated by his Excellency's Example, and ſtrongly enforced by Captain Innis, who has the Honour to command the latter; that his Excellency was pleaſed, in a very polite Manner, to aſk his Aſſiſtance in Council, which Captain Innis very genteelly acknowledged, and took his Seat at the Board accordingly.

The Accounts from the different Nations of Indians in that Quarter, are not ſo favourable as we could wiſh, for our Correſpondent informs us, that the Animoſity between the Creek and Chactaw Nations, ſhows itſelf in ſuch Acts of Savage Barbarity among themſelves, that our Traders, Planters, and many ſenſible Perſons, are apprehenſive that their unnatural Acts of Cruelty will not be perpetrated againſt each other only, but be extended to thoſe who have been, and ſtill are promoting the Intereſt of the Colony, as they not only throw out their Menaces, but are withal too well acquainted of our preſent defenceleſs State, ſince the Troops have been withdrawn from the moſt capital Frontier in his Majeſty's American Dominions, leaving it a Sacrifice to ſavage Inſolence, and the Property of the Settlers to be deſtroyed within 20 Miles of Penſacola and Mobille, by the Licentiouſneſs of their preſent unchecked Inſults.

It is ſtrongly reported, that his Excellency will hold a Congreſs at Mobille, ſoon after the Arrival of Mr. Superintendant Stuart, who is daily expected.

PHILADELPHIA, May 25.

By Captain Bridges, from Georgia, we are informed, that Captain Couzens, in a Brig belonging to Rhode-Iſland, is arrived at that Place from Jamaica; and that a Schooner, belonging to Georgia, in returning from Dr. Turnbull's Settlement, ran aſhore, and overſet, but the People were all ſaved. On the 16th Inſtant, in Lat. 37:20, being in 25 Fathom Water, he ſpoke a Schooner, Captain Harvey, from Rhode-Iſland for North-Carolina, 5 Days out, all well,

Captain York, from St. Chriſtophers, on the 7th Inſtant, in Lat. 26, ſpoke a Brig, for Wilmington, from Baſſeterre, 6 Days out; and on the 16th, in Lat. 38, Long. 73, he ſpoke the Sloop Speedwell, Captain Clarke, from Jamaica for Rhode-Iſland, 50 Days out, who had met with a hard Gale of Wind, in which he loſt his Mainſail and Jibb, and ſprung his Boom and Boltſprit; but was not in Want of Proviſions, and the People were all well on board.

Captain Maſon, from South-Carolina, about 15 Leagues from Charleſtown Bar, ſaw the Deck of a Veſſel floating along ſide, which, by the Beams, appeared to belong to ſome Veſſel of Burden; it had been newly caulked.

By Captain Rowland, from New-Providence, we learn, that ſix or ſeven Sail of Turtlers were lately taken off the Iſland of Cuba, by the Spaniards; and that the Bonetta Sloop of War was gone down to demand them, or know the Reaſon of their being detained.

Captain Stewart, from the Bay of Honduras, on the 8th Inſt. juſt as he had got through the Gulph, ſpoke a Brig from Jamaica for Maryland, out 25 Days, all well.

By Captain Smith, from North-Carolina, we learn, that Governor Tryon had a general Muſter of the Militia at Edenton, on the 9th Inſtant, in order, it was ſaid, to draught out a Number of Men to go to the Back Counties, where ſome Diſturbances had lately happened; and that the General Aſſembly were ſummoned to meet on the 5th of next Month, on the ſame Occaſion.---On the 15th Inſtant, off of Cape Henry, Captain Smith ſpoke a new Ship from Boſton for North-Carolina, all well.

Captain Haſelton, from Jamaica, on the 10th Inſtant, in Lat. 28, Long. 73, ſpoke the Beckmount, Captain William Laird, belonging to London, bound from Jamaica to Seraloon, on the Coaſt of Africa, 14 Days out, all well.

By Captain Butler, from the Grenades, we learn, that on the 27th of laſt Month, the Ship Three Friends, Captain William Robinſon, belonging to London, and bound home with a Load of Sugars, was caſt away in the Night on a Reef of Rocks, called the Grampuſes, a little to the Southward of that Iſland; the Veſſel and Cargoe entirely loſt, and the People with Difficulty ſaved their Lives.-----On the 11th Inſtant, in Lat. 30, Captain Butler ſpoke a Sloop, from Barbados for New-London; and on the 15th, in Lat. 35, he ſpoke a Sloop, from Anguilla, alſo for New-London, but did not learn either of the Maſters Names.

Captain Forreſter, from Jamaica, on the 12th Inſtant, off of Watling's Iſland, ſpoke a Sloop, Captain Todd, bound to Jamaica from Charleſtown; and on the 15th, in Lat. 28:35, Long. 73:10, he ſpoke a Ship, Captain Ruſſell, from London, for South-Carolina, all well.

Captain Caſſon, from Barbados, informs, that a Day or two before he ſailed, a Brig, belonging to Piſcataqua, bound to Bilboa, arrived there, having met with a very hard Gale of Wind off the Banks of Newfoundland, in which his Veſſel was laid on her Beam Ends for ſix Hours; he was obliged to cut away his Mainmaſt, in order to right her; when, being unable to proceed on his Voyage, he was forced to bear away, and arrived at Barbados, after being 42 Days at Sea, his Cargoe greatly damaged.

ARRIVALS.

From Philadelphia. Captains Alliſon, and Ferguſon, at Antigua; Hanſe, and Seaton, at Jamaica; Savage in the Bay of Honduras; and the Captains Sutton, and Gamble, at Barbados.

At Antigua. Captains Buſſinell, Campbell, Evans, Johnſon, Shannon, and Bailey, from Virginia; Finglaſs, from New-York; Coggeſhall, from Rhode-Iſland; Whittilſey, from New-London; Lattimer, and Trowbridge, from New-Haven; Hill, from New-England; Paine, from Falmouth; and Captain Greenleaſe, from Piſcataqua.

The *public Examination* of Candidates for MEDICAL DEGREES, will begin on Tueſday next, at 9 o' Clock, in the College Hall.

*** Neat Hair and black Leather TRUNKS, to be ſold at the New Printing-Office.

A RECEIPT *for making* CREAM CHEESE.

TAKE new milk, and let it cool a little before you put in the runnet, then take out the curd in a ladle, carefully, without breaking it, and lay it in a thin cloth, held by two people; break each ladleful of curd, by daſhing a ladleful of cold water on it, until it is well ſeparated; hang it up till the water is all drained off, put it under a light preſs, and let it ſtand an hour, after which you cut the curd into cheeſes of ſuch a thickneſs as you chuſe, with a thread, and preſs them again one upon the other, with a cloth at the bottom, and between each cheeſe, for about an hour; then lay them on boards, and rub them gently with fine ſalt, and let them lay an hour; waſh off all the ſalt with cold water, and lay them again on the boards to drain a day or two, till the outſide ſeems a little dried; then put ſome graſs under and over them, and let them lay till they are ripened, which will be in about 4 or 5 days, if the weather is warm and dry; if the weather is damp, they will require a longer Time.

CUSTOM-HOUSE, *Philadelphia*, INWARD ENTRIES.

Sloop Mary Ann, J. Sanford, Virginia. Schooner Polly, C. Rowland, N. Providence. Schooner William, J. Jewer, Ship Mercury, J. Steel, Schooner Dolphin, J. Outerbridge, and Brig St. George, C. Stewart, Honduras. Sloop Philadelphia, A. Lowell, Piſcataqua. Sloop Peggy, T. Eaſtwick, St. Euſtatia. Brig Carolina, E. Yorke, Madeira. Brig Miriam and Ann, W. Haſelton, Jamaica. Brig Sally, J. Hubling, Boſton. Sloop Abigail, S. Thurſtan, and Sloop Tom, B. Yuell, from R. Iſland.

OUTWARDS. *Schooner Barbador, J. Barry, for Barbados. Sloop Marlborough, J. Richards, N. Carolina. Sloop Deborah, J. Waterman, Iſle of St. John. Ship Newry's Aſſiſtance, W. Chevers, Cork. Snow Fortune, J. Berry, Liſbon. Sloop Peggy, T. Eaſtwick, St. Euſtatia. Sloop Poly, S. Wright, and Brig Prince of Wales, T. Maſon, S. Carolina. Ship Mary and Elizabeth, J. Sparks, London. Sloop Sally, E. Gray, Halifax. Schooner George, S. Martin, Grenades. Sloop Endeavour, G. Ellis, for Virginia.*

CLEARED. *Sloop Fanny, A. Ruſſell, to Dominico. Schooner Lovely Laſs, D. Badger, and Sloop Betſy, S. Skinner, Maryland. Brig Hetty, P. Oſborne, London. Sloop Nancy, W. Marſhall, Antigua. Brig Juno, W. Allen, St. Lucia. Schooner Sally, J. Beaty, Grenada. Sloop Unity, S. Buchannan, St. Vincents. Ship Severn, J. Hathorne, Briſtol. Schooner Fanny, M. Tarrant, N. Carolina. Brig Abigail, J. Guitton, Liſbon. Sloop Eſther, R. Pitt, Bermuda. Ship Joſeph, J. Crew, Newfoundland. Schooner Britannia, H. Johnſon, Salem. Brig Sally, J. Brown, St. Euſtatia. Sloop Diana, J. Gray, Bay of Chaleurs. Schooner Polly, J. Sibbald, to Halifax.*

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RICHARD PARKER,

In Third-ſtreet, the fifth door above Market-ſtreet,

CALICOES, ſtriped perſians, maſqueraded Bengals, China and Engliſh taffeties, ſilk damaſks, ſaggathies, fuſtians, durants, ſhaloons, calimancoes, camblets, poplins, allopeens, damaſks, everlaſtings, broadcloths, Jerman ſerges, ſtrouds, halfthicks, flannels, emboſſed ſerges, ſpotted ſwanſkins, red long ells, carpeting, Iriſh linens, Ruſſia and Iriſh ſheetings, Ruſſia drillings, Flanders bed ticks, bed bunts, yd. wd. and 7-8ths cotton and linen checks, yd. and 3-8ths ditto, 3-qr. ditto, dowlaſes, princes linens, ozenbrigs, a variety of ſtampt handkerchiefs, ſilk and cotton romals, ſpotted bandanoes, flowered ditto, breeches patterns, cotton velvet ſhapes, ſilk valure ditto, hair ſhapes, wrought nankeen ditto, ſewing ſilks, a large aſſortment of ribbons, ferrets, coloured threads, white and brown ditto, Scotch and Nuns ditto, bobbins and tapes, mohair, ſilk and hair, ſcarf, twiſt and horſe hair buttons, white and yellow metal ditto, lacquered and double gilt ditto, horn ditto, mens and womens horſe whips, chaiſe whips, whip laſhes, writing paper, ſealing wax, wafers, receipt books, pocket books, temple ſpectacles, ſnuff in bladders, ditto in bottles, black, blue, green, buff, ſcarlet and cloth coloured mohair, ſilk and hair, beſt ſcarff twiſt, cords, broad and narrow worſted bindings, galloon and ſtay cord, bed lace, nonſopretties, pins, common needles, Whitechapel and ſquare ditto, darning and looping ditto, knitting needles, kerby perch hooks, rock ditto, fiſhing rods, ditto reels, ivory and horn combs, ditto in caſes, beſt HV double wormed gimblets, common ditto, ſadlery, braſs cocks, candleſticks, ſnuff boxes, braſs ink pots, leather ditto, curtain rings, key ditto, taylors ſhears, ſciſſars, locks and hinges, eſcutcheons, wood ſcrews, tenter hooks, ſteel and braſs thimbles, pinchbeck ditto, ſtay hooks, white and yellow metal ſleeve buttons, glaſs ſet ditto, pinchbeck gilt ditto, ſilver watches, ſilvered watch chains, ſteel and pinchbeck ditto, ſteel watch keys, ſeals, piſtol capt penknives, cutteaus, Barlow penknives, ſeal end ditto, caſt-ſteel razors, carpenters and ſhoemakers hammers, pinchers, nippers, tacks and awl blades, Indian ditto, pinchbeck, ſteel, whitemetal and braſs ſhoe and knee buckles, buckle chapes, ſtock buckles, hoes and axes, ſcale beams, ſad irons, box irons, wool and cotton cards, jack cards, chimney tile, braſs wire, boxes of tin plates, ſcythes and ſickles, bar lead, pidgeon ſhot, duck and ſwan ditto, window glaſs, braſs kettles, warming pans, coffee pots, pewter, tin ware, japanned, gilt and plain, French indigo, red chalk, bohea tea, nutmegs, cinnamon, brimſtone, black lead, vermillion, ſtone ware in crates, delf ware, lanthorns, beſt oil flints, foot rules, joint yards, bottled port and claret, old Madeira wines, &c. &c. &c.

AN healthy young NEGROE MAN, brought up to milling and farming, may be hired by the year, for a few years, into the country; alſo two negroe lads, one about 19, the other 14 years of age, both uſed to country buſineſs.

A ſober induſtrious ſingle man, that underſtands the Blackſmith's buſineſs, for country purpoſes, may hear of employment by enquiring of the printers hereof, and have his accommodations, tools, ſhop, and a lad provided to work with him; and if acquainted with making ſcythes and ſickles, will be the more agreeable. §

Chester, May 20, 1769.

STRAYED, or ſtolen, the beginning of this inſtant May, a dark grey MARE, 5 years old this ſpring, ſhod all round, paces, trots, and gallops, carries low, no brand or mark known of; ſhe has a good deal of white in her face, and is near 14 hands high. Whoever has taken up ſaid mare, and will bring her to me, the Subſcriber, ſhall have Fifteen Shillings reward, and reaſonable charges, paid by DAVIS BEVAN.

N. B. Any perſon who has the mare, is deſired to advertiſe her in the next paper, and not work her, at their peril. ‡

The MEMBERS of the St. ANDREW's SOCIETY,

ARE deſired to attend their Quarterly Meeting, at the Houſe of James Byrne, at the Golden Fleece, in Second-ſtreet, on Wedneſday next, the 31ſt of this inſtant May, at Six o' Clock in the Evening. DAVID SPROAT, Secretary.

Juſt imported from London, in the Mary and Elizabeth, Captain Sparks, and to be ſold, on the loweſt terms, by

WILLIAMS and ELDRIDGE,

At their ſtore in Front-ſtreet, between the Coffee-Houſe and Cheſtnut-ſtreet,

AN aſſortment of HOSIERY, conſiſting of mens brown and white thread and cotton, womens cotton, and boys thread hoſe; an aſſortment of breeches patterns, ſilk mitts; and, by the ſpring veſſels, an aſſortment of goods, ſuitable to the ſeaſon.

DANIEL WILLIAMS,

Has alſo a good aſſortment of BOULTING-CLOTHS.

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public ſale, on Thurſday, the 8th of June, at 7 o'clock in the Evening, at the London Coffee-Houſe, a certain meſſuage, or tenement, and two tracts of land, ſituate in the townſhip of Paſſyunk, one of them containing 10 acres and 68 perches, bounded by lands of George Gray, John Reily, Benjamin Davis, and Samuel Bettle, and a certain two perch road; the other of them, containing 10 acres and 90 perches, bounded by a road leading from Philadelphia to Paſſyunk bank, by the above deſcribed tract, and lands of Samuel Preſton Moore; late the eſtate of John Heaton; ſeized and taken in execution by

JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

TO BE SOLD,

By MARY HARRISON, Attorney of JOHN KEEGAN, of Dublin, in Ireland, Heir at Law of John Keegan, late of this City, deceaſed,

A BRICK HOUSE, two Stories high, and the Lot of Ground on which it ſtands, on the North Side of Morris's Alley, between Cheſtnut and Walnut Streets, the third Door from Second-ſtreet, now in the Tenure of John Sitch, and rents for 20l. per Ann. The Houſe is 20 Feet in Front, including a 4 Feet Alley, and 16 Feet deep. The Lot extends 34 Feet Northward, 20 Feet broad, and 12 Feet further Northward, 4 Feet broad; bounded Eaſtward and Northward with a Lot of Richard Merion, Weſtward with a Houſe and Lot of Sarah Kirl.

If it is not ſold before the 10th Day of Auguſt next, it will be expoſed to Sale by public Vendue, at the London Coffee-Houſe. §

New-Caſtle, May 20, 1769.

TO be ſold, by virtue of an order of the Orphan's Court, for the county of New-Caſtle, on the 20th day of June, on the premiſes, and may be entered on immediately after the ſale, 175 acres of land (late belonging to Auguſtine Hicks, deceaſed) in Apoquinimy Hundred, and county aforeſaid, being part of Bottle-Neck Plantation, about 4 miles from Duck-Creek town, and one from a convenient landing on Duck-Creek. The above tract is deemed as good land for graſs, grain, or tobacco, as any in the government, the ſurface being a rich black mould, on a ſtratum of rich clay, or marl, the whole on being cleared will produce excellent graſs, without any manure; there are about 60 acres of clear land, 40 of which is in clover and blue graſs, the reſt timber land, chiefly white oak; there is on the premiſes, a new ſquare log houſe, 20 by 25 feet, roofed with cedar, a large frame building, in which there is an horſe-mill for ſawing timber, of the beſt conſtruction, a ſmall peach and apple orchard, by DAVID FINNEY, *Adminiſtrator.*

The ſaid David Finney hath likewiſe to diſpoſe of, the remainder of Bottle-Neck Plantation, equal in quality with the above deſcribed land, with about 50 acres of cripple and maple ſwamp thereto adjoining, which will make excellent meadow, at a ſmall expence, being ſecured from the tide by a bank of 48 perches long, in good repair, in which there is a ſluice ſufficient to vent all the back-water, the ſaid bank incloſes about 300 acres of cripple and low ground. The whole neck is incloſed by a new fence of 130 perches long; 7 years will be allowed for payment of the purchaſe money of the remainder of the tract, paying intereſt. ¶

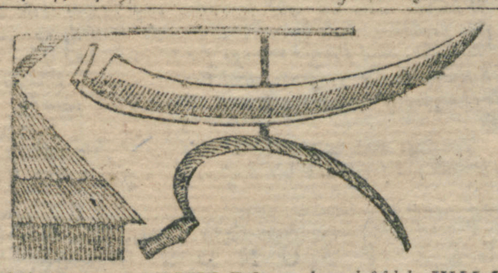
To be SOLD, by public VENDUE,

On the 15th day of June next, at the houſe of Robert Wilds, at the Croſs-Roads, near Saliſbury,

FOUR valuable tracts of land, ſituate in Duck-Creek Hundred, and county of Kent, upon Delaware, viz. One tract containing 100 acres, on Pearman's Branch, and Gravelly Run, adjoining ſaid Croſs-Roads, which may be laid out in convenient lots; another tract containing 150 acres, adjoining lands of William Killen, Eſq; another tract called Newberry, containing 400 acres; and one other tract, containing 209 acres, called Golden Grove. An indiſputable title will be made. The ſale to begin at 10 o' clock on ſaid day, when attendance will be given by DAVID FINNEY, *and* JOHN BELL. ¶

WAS ſtolen, from the Subſcriber, living in New-Caſtle, in the night of the 15th inſtant, off the Green in New-Caſtle, a bay MARE, about 13 Hands high, with a long bobbed tail, and long mane, has a ſmall ſpot by the joining of the crupper to the ſaddle, which was rubbed by the buckle of the crupper, paces a ſmall travel, trots and canters, new ſhoes on her fore feet, neither brand nor ear-mark. Whoever takes up and ſecures the thief and mare, ſhall have Forty Shillings reward, and for the mare only, if found within 20 miles of New-Caſtle, Ten Shillings, if more than 20 miles Fifteen Shillings, and reaſonable charges, paid by

May 17, 1769. JOHN RIDDLE. ¶



SCYTHES *and* SICKLES, *made and ſold by* WILLIAM DAWSON, *Cutler, at the ſign of the Scythe and Sickle, in Third-ſtreet, between Market and Arch-ſtreets; where alſo may be had iron work for griſt and ſaw-mills, ſmith's bellows, and moſt ſorts of ſmith's work.* §

WHEREAS I Jacob Stouffer, of Mountjoy townſhip, in the county of Lancaſter, gave unto my brother's ſon, Jacob Stouffer, in April laſt, a bond ſigned by me for the ſum of 194l. lawful money of Pennſylvania, which bond is due on the 2d or 3d day of June next; but whereas I and the ſaid Jacob Stouffer had accounts to ſettle with each other, and in ſettling the ſame, an error or miſtake was made, ſo that I have given him the ſaid bond for a much larger ſum than is coming to him; and as I have ſince deſired him to look over the accounts, and ſee them right done, but he refuſing it, I therefore deſire that no perſon may take an aſſignment of the ſaid bond from the ſaid Jacob Stouffer, as I am not willing to pay the ſame, until the ſaid accounts are ſettled. § JACOB STOUFFER,

To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER,

Executrix of the laſt will and teſtament of Samuel Williams, late of Chicheſter, in the county of Cheſter, practitioner in phyſic, deceaſed,

ALL the drugs, medicines, ſhop furniture, books, and inſtruments remaining on hand. Any perſon ſkilled in phyſic, who ſhall think fit to take the houſe upon rent, ſhall have the preference, as there is no Doctor in phyſic near Marcus Hook.----Such a perſon may have an opportunity of promoting himſelf. Any perſon inclining to purchaſe the whole medicines, &c. or rent the late dwelling-houſe of the ſaid Doctor Williams, may apply to the Subſcriber living therein,

ELIZABETH WILLIAMS, Executrix.

Bucks County, May 19, 1769.

BY virtue of a writ of Levari Facias, to me directed, will be expoſed to public ſale, on the premiſes, on the 8th day of June next, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, a certain meſſuage, tenement, plantation and tract of land, ſituate in Tinicum townſhip, bounded by lands of John Kelly, James Richey, and others, containing about 137 acres, with the appurtenances. Alſo one other meſſuage, tenement and tract of land, ſituate in the ſaid townſhip, bounded by lands late of Jacob Fratz, Jacob Culp, and others, by Tinicum creek, and the river Delaware, containing about 264 acres, with the appurtenances. Alſo one other tract or parcel of land, ſituate in ſaid townſhip, bounded by lands late of Michael Kelly, Archibald Martin, and lands late the property of Stevens and Rutherford, containing about 254 acres, out of which is excepted a piece known by the name of the meadow lot, containing about 27 acres, late the property of Richard Stevens; ſeized in execution, and to be ſold by

JOSEPH ELLICOTT, Sheriff.

Alſo, at the ſame time and place abovementioned, will be expoſed to public ſale, a certain meſſuage, tenement and tract of land, ſituate in the townſhip aforeſaid, bounded by lands of John Kelly, James Smith, Walter Rutherford, and others, containing 155 acres, with the apurtenances, alſo cows, horſes and farming utenſils, all late the property of Jacob Booher; ſeized in execution, and to be ſold by JOSEPH ELLICOTT, Sheriff. ¶

TO be SOLD, a three ſtory brick houſe and lot, on the north ſide of Market-ſtreet, near the corner of Second-ſtreet, containing in front, on ſaid ſtreet, 16 feet 6 inches, including a 3 feet alley, over which the houſe is built, and in length 102 feet. The houſe is 36 feet deep, with a brick kitchen, one ſtory, and a ſmall apartment, two ſtories high, between the houſe and kitchen; there is alſo at the end of ſaid lot, a 2 ſtory brick tenement, 16 feet by 15; bounded northward by Benjamin Hooton's lot, eaſtward by Hugh Hodge's houſe and lot, and weſtward by the houſe and lot now in the tenure of the widow Coombes; ſubject to a groundrent of 12l. currency per annum, and is inſured for 7 years. For further particulars, enquire of JOSEPH REDMAN, in Market-ſtreet, or Dr. JOHN REDMAN, in Second-ſtreet.

TO be ſold, by public ſale, the 23d day of June next, at the houſe of Caleb Way, in Weſt-Caln townſhip, Cheſter county, The one undivided half part of a well accuſtomed brew and malt-houſe, ſituate in London Port Town, in the townſhip and county aforeſaid, on the main provincial road, leading from Philadelphia to Lancaſter, together with all the utenſils for carrying on the ſame, all in good order, with ſome barrels and hogſheads; likewiſe a large ſtone building, which may readily be converted into a compleat dwelling-houſe, being two ſtory high, covered with cedar ſhingles; none of the buildings exceed 5 years ſince firſt built, which are all ſtone and lime, within 5 rods of a ſpring head, which is communicated into the ſteep, likewiſe through the brew-houſe cellar; it is the moſt convenient brewery of its ſize in Pennſylvania, and in as plentiful a part for barley as any on the continent. There is likewiſe to be ſold, at ſaid time and place, 10 or 15 acres of woodland, very convenient. The vendue to begin at 10 o' clock on ſaid day; where due attendance will be given, and the terms of ſale made known, by me

† *JOHN HARLD.*

RUN away from his bail, living in Queen-Anne's county, Maryland, a certain AARON YOE, he is about 5 feet 6 inches high, of a dark complexion, wears his own hair; had on, and took with him, when he went away, an old felt hat, an old claret coloured coat, a country made ſhirt, and a pair of old black breeches; his other apparel unknown. Whoever takes up ſaid perſon, and ſecures him, ſo that the Subſcribers (who are his bail in ſeveral actions) may get him again, ſhall receive Forty Shillings Pennſylvania currency reward, paid by

§ THOMAS WRIGHT,
April 26, 1769. WILLIAM YOE.

WHEREAS, a certain William Beard, of the townſhip of Cumberland, in the county of York, and province of Pennſylvania, obtained a note of hand of me the Subſcriber, payable upon demand, bearing date the 20th day of November, 1768, for the ſum of Forty-five Pounds, money of Pennſylvania; theſe are to forewarn all perſons from taking an aſſignment on ſaid note, as I have never received any conſideration for the ſame, it being obtained in a fraudulent manner, when I was in liquor, and am determined never to pay it, or any part thereof.

¶ HUGH BROWN.

TEN POUNDS Reward.

RUN away from the Subſcriber, living on Kent-Iſland, Queen-Anne's county, Maryland, the 9th of May inſtant, at night, two ſervant men, viz. John Jennings, a convict, by trade a ſhoe-maker; and Benjamin Webber, an indented ſervant, a weaver by trade; ſaid Jennings is about 5 feet 9 or 10 inches high, of a thin viſage, has a ſcar acroſs his left cheek, has thin brown hair, freſh cut on the crown, but may have it cut off, is fond of ſtrong liquor, and when drunk is very bold; both of them are Engliſhmen, born in or near Coventry; Jennings took a pair of leather breeches, patched, and ſewed with white thread, a bearſkin jacket, made in a plain manner, a bearſkin great coat, almoſt new, of a light cloth colour, old hat, a pair of new ſhoes that do not fit him, and other things unknown; it is probable they may change their dreſs and names, and I do expect they have a forged paſs or diſcharge, on ſome aſſignment or indenture. Benjamin Webber has a bearſkin jacket, made in a plain manner, a bearſkin ſurtout, mended on the elbows with another ſort of cloth, white hoſe, his ſhoes have been lately ſoaled, with other things unknown. Whoever takes up ſaid ſervants, and ſecures them in any goal in this province, ſhall have Three Pounds reward, current money, for Jennings, and Forty Shillings for Webber, and if out of the province Six Pounds for Jennings, and Four Pounds for Webber, and reaſonable charges, if brought to Queen's-Town goal, paid by

¶ BENJAMIN KIRBY.

N. B. Jennings took with him a good ſett of ſhoe-maker's tools, and ſome leather; I forewarn all maſters of veſſels taking them on board.

Pencader Hundred, New-Caſtle County, May 6, 1769.

SIX POUNDS Reward.

RUN away, the 24th of April laſt, from the Subſcribers, two Iriſh indented ſervants. Daniel Murphy, between 25 and 30 years of age, about 5 feet 5 inches high, has the brogue on his tongue, freſh coloured, black curly hair, round ſhouldered, thin ſharp noſe, has a hobbling walk; had on, a flannel weſt, with black horn buttons, oznenbrigs ſhirt, &c. ſtole and took with him, a lightiſh coloured broadcloth coat, lined with dark ſhaloon, mohair buttons, dark fuſtian jacket, black horn buttons, new buckſkin breeches, white ribbed thread ſtockings, bluiſh yarn ditto, good ſhoes, braſs buckles, new holland ſhirt, ditto of 12 hundred, country make, red and yellow ſilk handkerchief, black ſilk gauze ditto, felt hat, &c. James Field, born in Dublin, 20 years of age, about 5 feet 4 or 5 inches high, full freckled face, marked with the ſmall-pox, ſhort noſe, large greyiſh eyes, blackiſh hair, round ſhouldered, &c. ſtole, and took with him, a drakiſh coloured broadcloth coat, lined in the fore parts with green ſtuff, big leather pockets, old red and black flannel weſt, buckſkin breeches, bluiſh worſted ſtockings, good ſhoes, check ſhirt, black ſilk handkerchief, felt hat, with white bowlings, &c. Whoever takes up ſaid ſervants, and ſecures them in any goal, ſo that their maſters may have them again, ſhall have the above reward, or Three Pounds for either, paid by DAVID LLEWELIN, JOHN JONES.

N. B. They were ſeen together, within 8 miles from Lancaſter, going upwards. It is likely they will change their names and apparel, as ſaid Field did before. All maſters of veſſels, and others, are forbid to harbour or take them away, at their peril. †

TWENTY SHILLINGS Reward.

STRAYED from the plantation of Jonathan Paſchall, in Kingſeſs, about 2 miles from the Lower Ferry, on Schuylkill, a bright coloured bay HORSE, about 13 hands high, bald face, 4 white feet, pretty ſhort ſwitch tail, and ſhort mane, is 6 years old, natural pacer, ſhod all round, when he went away. Whoever brings ſaid horſe to the plantation of the aforeſaid Jonathan Paſchall, ſhall have the above reward, and reaſonable charges, paid by me JOHN RUSSELL. ¶

CAME to the Plantation of the Subſcriber, living in Oxford Townſhip, Philadelphia County, ſome time in April, a grey MARE, ſuppoſed to be about two Years old. The Owner is deſired to come, prove his Property, pay Charges, and take her away. ¶ NATHAN WHITMAN.

FIVE or SIX POUNDS Reward.

STOLEN from the Subſcriber, living in Rockland townſhip, Berks county, the 12th of April laſt, a black horſe, about 8 or 9 years old, 14 or 15 hands high, branded on the near ſhoulder AW, has ſaddle ſpots on both ſides, a ſmall ſtar in his forehead, a ſhort neck, and ſmall head, which he carries high, paces, but not faſt, had new ſhoes on the fore feet, and is of good courage. Whoever brings ſaid horſe to the owner, ſhall have Five Pounds reward, and if he brings the thief with the horſe, Six Pounds, paid by CASPER SEIWERT. §

Lancaſter Goal, May 8, 1769.

WAS committed to my cuſtody this day, a certain John Burns, as he calls himſelf, he is 5 feet 5 inches high, dark complexion; had on, when committed, a check ſhirt, tow trowſers, a blue jacket, and good ſhoes, with a pair of ſilver buckles, marked I. I. and another pair in his pockets; ſays his maſter's name is John Johnſton, and lives in Oxford townſhip; but knows not the county. This is to deſire his maſter, if any he has, to come and pay his charges, and take him away, otherwiſe he will be ſold out for his fees, in three weeks from the date hereof, by GEORGE EBERLY, Goaler. ¶

Lancaſter, May 16, 1769.

RUN away from the Subſcriber, living in Leacock townſhip, Lancaſter county, an Iriſh ſervant lad, named Thomas Anderſon, about 19 years of age, about 5 feet 4 inches high, fair hair, and pitted with the ſmall-pox; had on, and took with him, when he went away, a half worn blue coat, with blue mohair buttons, and white lining, a blue jacket, with yellow metal buttons, a hemp ſhirt, a pair of old ſheepſkin breeches, a pair of mixt blue and white ſtockings, a pair of half ſoaled double channel pumps, with round braſs buckles; likewiſe took with him, a pair of check trowſers, a red and blue ſilk handkerchief, and a new felt hat. Whoever takes up ſaid ſervant, and ſecures him in any goal, ſo that his maſter may have him again, ſhall receive Three Pounds reward, and reaſonable charges, paid by GEORGE BARD. ¶

BY Virtue of a Writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public Sale, on Tueſday, the 30th Day of May, at 7 o'Clock in the Evening, at the London-Coffee-Houſe, a certain 3 Story Brick Meſſuage, and Lot of Ground, ſituate on the South-ſide of High-ſtreet, in the City of Philadelphia, containing in Breadth on ſaid Street 16 Feet 6 Inches, including the weſtermoſt Half Part of a certain 2 Feet 9 and a Half Inch Alley, and in Length or Depth 80 Feet, or thereabouts; bounded Eaſtward by Ground of Iſaac Greenleafe, Southward by a Lot whereof this was Part, Weſtward by Ground of Aquilla Jones, and Northward by High-ſtreet aforeſaid; late the Eſtate of William Clinton, deceaſed, ſeized and taken in Execution by JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

BY Virtue of a Writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public Sale, on Tueſday, the 30th of May, at 7 o' Clock in the Evening, at the London Coffee-Houſe, Four certain yearly Rents, amounting to £. 12:6:6 Sterling, viz. One yearly Rent of 40s. Sterling, iſſuing out of a Lot of Ground, ſituate in the Diſtrict of Southwark, bounded Northward by a Lot late of William Cunningham, Weſtward by Front-ſtreet continued, Southward by a Lot now or late of Joſeph Shippen, and Eaſtward by Ground late of William Annis, deceaſed.----One other yearly Rent, of £. 3:4:6 Sterling, iſſuing out of another Lot of Ground, ſituate in the Diſtrict of Southwark aforeſaid, bounded Northward by Land late of Anthony Noble, Weſtward by Front-ſtreet continued, Southward by Land late of Edward Shippen, and Eaſtward by Land late of William Annis, deceaſed.----One other yearly Rent, of £. 5:2:0 Sterling, iſſuing out of another Lot of Ground, ſituate in the Diſtrict of Southwark aforeſaid, bounded Weſtward by Land late of Anthony Noble, Northward by Land late of William Cunningham, Eaſtward by Penn-ſtreet, and Southward by Land late of William Annis, deceaſed. And one other yearly Rent, of 40s. Sterling, iſſuing out of a Lot of Ground, ſituate on the South Side of Cedar-ſtreet, bounded Northward by Cedar-ſtreet aforeſaid, Weſtward by Land late of Alexander Alexander, Southward by Land late of Philip Hulbert, and Eaſtward by Land late of William Annis, deceaſed; late the Eſtate of Robert and Suſanna Lindſay; ſeized and taken in Execution by JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

BY Virtue of a Writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public Sale, on Wedneſday, the 31ſt of May, at 7 o' Clock in the Evening, at the London Coffee-Houſe, a certain Brick Meſſuage, and Lot of Ground, ſituate in the City of Philadelphia, containing in Breadth 15 Feet, and in Depth from Front-ſtreet to Water-ſtreet 40 Feet, bounded Northward by a Lot of John Moyes, and Southward by a Lot of Andrew Hamilton, ſubject to a Groundrent of £. 26:5:0 Pennſylvania Currency, per Annum; late the Eſtate of Thomas White; ſeized and taken in Execution by JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

BY Virtue of a Writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public Sale, on Thurſday, the 1ſt Day of June, at 2 o' Clock in the Afternoon, on the Premiſes, a certain Tract of Land, ſituate on the Weſt-ſide of Germantown Road, about 5 Miles and a Half from Philadelphia, containing about 23 Acres, more or leſs, whereon is a Nurſery of the beſt Collection of various Sorts of Fruit Trees, and about 7 Acres thereof are good watered Meadow; on the ſaid Tract is erected a good 2 Story Stone Meſſuage and Kitchen, a compleat tanyard, with 28 Vatts, a Stream of Water running through the ſame, and all neceſſary Buildings belonging thereto. Alſo a Still-Houſe, well ſupplied with Water by a Fountain, which keeps conſtantly playing in the Cooling Tubs, or any other Part, and a good Barn, Stables, &c.

Alſo a certain other Tract of Land, adjoining the aforeſaid Tract, high and pleaſantly ſituated, containing about 20 Acres, and fronts about 40 Perches on the ſaid Road; whereon is a very good Orchard of the beſt Fruit Trees, ſuch as Apple, Pear, Peach, Plumb, Cherry, &c. About 3 Acres thereof are of the beſt watered Meadow, and about 3 Acres of Wood-land, with good Quarries of Building Stone; bounded by Lands of Theobald Ent, James Logan, Samuel Aſhmead, Eſq; and Shippen; late the Eſtate of Jacob Naglee; ſeized and taken in Execution, by JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

At the ſame Time will be ſold the Grain in the Ground, and the Graſs in the Meadows.

BY Virtue of a Writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public Sale, on Friday, the 2d of June, at 2 o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the Houſe of Peter Hillegas, in Upper Hanover, a certain Tenement, Barn, Stables, and two contiguous Tracts of Land, ſituate in Upper Hanover Townſhip, containing in the whole about 137 Acres, 15 Perches; bounded by Lands of Andrew Nawras, John Sechlar, George Welker, and others; late the Eſtate of Michael Reed, ſeized and taken in Execution by JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

BY Virtue of writs of Venditioni Exponas, to me directed, on the 26th inſtant, on the premiſes, will be ſold by vendue, a certain meſſuage, plantation and tract or parcel of good land, thereunto belonging, containing 255 acres, ſituate in Weſt-Nantmell townſhip, in the county of Cheſter; bounded by lands of John Gilliland, Joſeph Long, Andrew Spence, and William Mackay; there is now a noted tavern kept on the premiſes, and its public ſituation, near the Manor Meeting-houſe, where two roads croſs each other, makes it a place of good cuſtom; the buildings are a good ſquare log-houſe, a barn, and ſundry outhouſes, a choice orchard of 400 apple trees in their prime; about 25 acres of good watered meadow is on the premiſes, in good order; it may juſtly be ſaid to be a compleat farm, and a proper place for a tavern; late the eſtate of James M'Coſkry, ſeized in execution, and to be ſold by JOHN MORTON, Sheriff.

N. B. At the ſame time and place will be ſold horſes and cattle, wheat in the ground, and various houſhold furniture.

York Town, May 6, 1769.

BY virtue of ſundry writs of Venditioni Exponas, on Monday, the 30th of May inſtant, at 10 of the clock in the forenoon, will be expoſed to ſale, on the premiſes, two plantations and tracts of land, contiguous to, and adjoining each other, containing 700 acres; on one of which tracts is a tanyard, with all neceſſary buildings for that buſineſs, and a very good mill ſeat, with a never failing ſtream of water; on each tract about 100 acres cleared, with good buildings, and an orchard, 50 acres of cleared meadow, and double that quantity may be made; the land very rich, well timbered, and the meadow well watered; it is ſituate in Cumberland townſhip, York county, on the road from Bedford to Philadelphia and Baltimore, about 60 miles from the latter. Alſo a farm in the South Mountain, about 4 miles from the above, containing 200 acres, with fine range for ſtock. The aforeſaid three tracts of land are ſurveyed, and a conſiderable part of the purchaſe paid; all being ſeized and taken in execution, as the eſtate of Joſeph Morriſon, and to be ſold by GEORGE EICHELBERGER, Sheriff.

N. B. The above firſt mentioned two tracts will be ſold, ſubject to a mortgage of 600l. with intereſt, from the 1ſt of May 1764. ¶

To be SOLD, by public VENDUE,

On the 31ſt day of May inſt.

A VERY valuable tract of LAND, called Dunkeily lying in Baltimore county, within a few Miles of Baltimore-Town, conſiſting of 599 acres, well ſituated for the navigable rivers of Buſh and Gunpowder; the land is exceeding well timbered, and the ſoil extremely fertile, equal to any in the county; there are ſeveral bottoms, which may be eaſily made into very valuable meadow, and contain ſeveral ſtreams of water; about 250 acres of upland are cleared, quite freſh, and not more than two ſeaſons in cultivation. There are ſeveral improvements, which, with a ſmall expence, may be made very valuable, and no ſituation better adapted for a farm. The title to ſaid land is indiſputable, Six months credit (without intereſt) will be allowed, on giving ſecurity. A general warrantee will be given to the purchaſer at the time of payment. For further particulars, enquire of JOHN PACA, of Baltimore county; WILLIAM PACA, in the city of Annapolis; or WILLIAM TOD, in Philadelphia; of whom they may receive any further information.

ALL perſons indebted to the eſtate of Robert Hutchiſon, late of Cheſter-Town, Kent county, Maryland, merchant, deceaſed, are requeſted immediately to pay their reſpective balances; and thoſe who have any demands againſt ſaid eſtate, are deſired to bring them in properly atteſted, to Mr. John Bolton, merchant, in Cheſter-Town, or the Subſcriber, in Philadelphia, there being an abſolute neceſſity for a final ſettlement of every thing relating to the ſaid eſtate, on or before the firſt of June next; thoſe therefore who neglect to comply, muſt abide the conſequence. JAMES ROSE, *Adminiſtrator.* †

Waterford, Glouceſter County, May 15, 1769.

TO be ſold by way of public vendue, at Haddonfield, in the county aforeſaid, on Saturday, the 27th day of this inſtant, one Engliſh bay STALLION, near 14 hands high, has a ſmall ſtar in his forehead. The vendue to begin at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of the day aforeſaid, at which time and place the conditions of ſale will be made known, and attendance given, by ISAAC JONES.

N. B. The above deſcribed horſe was left with me, ſome time in November laſt. If the perſon who left him, or any perſon claiming property in the ſaid horſe, come and prove ſuch property, and pay the charges, accrued on account of him, before the day of ſale aforeſaid, they may have him again. †

WANTED immediately, a WET NURSE, who can come well recommended from the country. Enquire of the PRINTERS.

Was LOST, on Monday laſt, the 15th inſtant, ſuppoſed to be between Walnut and Market-ſtreets, in Third-ſtreet, a HEART DIAMOND HOOP RING. Whoever has found it, and will bring it to the PRINTERS, ſhall receive a reaſonable REWARD. Tbctf.

FIFTY DOLLARS Reward.

BROKE out of goal, on the 15th of laſt April, from the ſubſcriber, high Sheriff of the county of Orange, one Claudius Smith, alias James Read, alias John Wright, about 5 feet 8 inches high, ſtraight and well built, and pale complexion, very light ſhort hair, and white beard; he has had 4 or 5 grains of powder blown in under his right eye; he has ſhort white teeth, and ſeldom ſhews them but when he laughs; he is a great bully, and will fight wherever he goes, being very conceited of his ſtrength: He had on very bad clothes when he went away, but it is ſuppoſed he will not wear them long, as he is a remarkable thief. He was confined for debt, theft, and rioting.----He is a noted horſe ſtealer. Any perſon who takes up and ſecures the ſaid runaway, ſo that he may be had again, ſhall receive the above reward, and all reaſonable charges paid, by Jeſſe Woodhull, high Sheriff of the county of Orange, or by Jeremiah Colman, deputy Sheriff of the ſaid county. ¶

For LONDON,

The SHIP,
MARY & ELIZABETH,
JAMES SPARKS,
COMMANDER,

SHE is a good ſhip, and has extraordinary accommodations for paſſengers, part of her cargoe ready to go on board, will ſail with all convenient ſpeed. For freight or paſſage apply to JOHN HEAD, the MASTER on board the Ship, at Riche's wharff, or at the London Coffee-Houſe.

N. B. Said HEAD has imported in the above ſhip, and other veſſels, a large aſſortment of European, with ſome India GOODS, ſuitable for the preſent and enſuing ſeaſon, amongſt which is Bohea tea of the beſt quality, which he will ſell on reaſonable terms. Philad. 5th Month 18, 1769.

For BRISTOL,

The Snow ANNA,
JOHN LIVINGSTON
MASTER,

NOW lying at THOMAS CLIFFORD'S Wharff, is a good Veſſel, well accommodated for Paſſengers, great Part of her Cargoe ready to go on board, expected to ſail about the 1ſt of June. For Freight or Paſſage apply to THOMAS CLIFFORD and SON.

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For curing the SCURVY in the Blood, &c.

AS the ſcurvy and itching in the blood is a diſtemper more common than any other diſorder, and is often attended with fatal conſequences from a deſpair of finding relief: This is therefore to inform the public, that there has lately been diſcovered a balſamic tincture, the virtues of which are ſo great, that it eradicates all ſcorbutic diſorders in the blood, be the caſe ever ſo bad or obſtinate, as it cleanſes the body of all ſpots, blotches, pimples or itchings in the blood. Prepared and ſold by Mr. HAMILTON, at Mrs. Houſe's, next door to the Indian Queen, in Fourth-ſtreet, Philadelphia, in bottles, 3s. 9d. each. It is a perfect balſam, and great pectoral, heating, drying and preſerving from putrefaction; in it are all the virtues of the natural balſam, and the greateſt conſervative power that can be found in any medicine; it is good for curing moiſt ulcers, whether inward or outward; it is excellent for coughs, colds, aſthmas, pains in the ſide, and ſpleen, ſpitting of blood, ulcers of the lungs, palſies, convulſions, ſtruma's, or king's evil, conſumptions, &c. being inwardly taken, and outwardly applied; it ſtrengthens, reſiſts malignity and poiſon, is good againſt the plague, all ſorts of peſtilential and malignant fevers, as meaſles, ſmall pox, ſpotted fevers, &c. This medicine is dedicated to the lungs, and is as a fire, to dry up their ſuperfluous humidities; it corrects the ſharpneſs of acid fluids, abates their acrimony, and ſweetens the blood and nervous juices.

The deſtruction which is daily experienced by worms, eſpecially in the bodies of children, render any medicine, which will eradicate them, of great value. The learned Dr. Boerhaave, laid the foundation of many diſorders to be owing to theſe deſtructive animals, and was ſenſible, could any proper antielminthic be diſcovered, that would deſtroy the ſemina or ſeed, ſo many people would not labour under agues, conſumptions, pluerifies, dizzineſs, head-achs, and many other diſorders, of which they are the firſt foundation; Mr. HAMILTON has been ſo happy, by great application, as to find out a ſafe and ſure vermifuge for the utter extirpation of them, both in old and young people, by purging off all ſlime and putrid matter in the ſtomach and bowels. That thoſe devouring animals exiſt in the body, every ſtage of our lives, and conſtitutions of both ſexes, equally contribute to prove; it cannot poſſibly be otherwiſe, for on ſtrict examination it appears, that the very food which ſuſtains us, contains in it a putrid matter, which is found to be the bed and nurſery of them. This noble medicine is now offered by Mr. HAMILTON, for the good of mankind, and preſervation of children; in packets Three Shillings and Nine-pence each, containing 6 doſes for grown up people, and 24 for children, with proper directions for uſing. ¶

The moſt violent

TOOTH-ACH,

Cured in a few MINUTES without DRAWING,

(No CURE No PAY)

BY a tincture which gives immediate eaſe to the Tooth-ach, and cures all diſorders whatever in the mouth or gums, and in a few days uſing, will faſten the teeth if ever ſo looſe, and with a little continuance will perfectly cure the ſcurvy in the gums. It likewiſe preſerves the teeth from rotting, keeping ſuch as are decayed from becoming worſe, and takes off all diſagreeable ſmells from the breath, and cauſes a large diſcharge of all ſcorbutical humours lodged in the gums, which deſtroy the teeth. By applying this tincture outwardly, it will entirely remove all kinds of ſwellings in the cheek, or pain in the ear, and is an abſolute cure for the head-ach if ever ſo violent; and likewiſe cures the moſt violent rheumatic pains in any part of the body. This valuable tincture is prepared and ſold in bottles at One Dollar each, with particular directions for uſing it, at Mrs. Houſe's, next door to the Indian Queen, in Fourth-ſtreet, Philadelphia, by Mr. HAMILTON, Surgeon Dentiſt, and Operator for the Teeth, from LONDON; who cleans and beautifies the teeth, and diſplaces all ſuperfluous teeth and ſtumps with the greateſt eaſe and ſafety, and makes and ſets in artificial teeth, from one ſingle tooth to a whole ſett, in ſo nice a manner, that they cannot be diſtinguiſhed from natural; therefore thoſe Ladies and Gentlemen who have had the misfortune of loſing their teeth, have now an opportunity of having natural or artificial put in with diſpatch and ſecrecy, and in ſuch a manner, as to be of real uſe, ornament and ſervice, for many years, without giving the leaſt pain to the patient, which is too often the caſe, owing to the want of judgment in the Operator. §

N. B. Artificial teeth ſet in, at Two Dollars a tooth; and the poor, afflicted with the tooth-ach, cured *gratis*, every morning, from 8 to 10 o' clock.

TO BE SOLD,

A TRACT of LAND in Weſt New-Jerſey, ſituate in the townſhip of Nottingham, on the ſouth ſide of Sunpink Creek, about 4 miles from Trenton, and 5 from the public landing, below the Falls, known by the name of the Bear Swamp, joining lands of Rebeccah Wright, and others, containing about 300 acres, 200 of which may be made good meadow, with a ſtream of water running through the ſame, a ſmall part of the upland cleared, the reſt well timbered. Alſo a houſe and lot on the weſt ſide of Fifth-ſtreet, two doors above Arch-ſtreet, containing in width 19 feet and an half, and in depth 50 feet, with a two ſtory kitchen, and good cellar under the whole. For further particulars, enquire of Andrew Edge, in Third-ſtreet, the corner of Church-alley.

N. B. Goods, that are ſaleable, will anſwer as well as caſh, for one half of the purchaſe money, the remainder will be made eaſy to the purchaſer, with an indiſputable title. ¶

Eaſton Goal, Northampton County, May 3, 1769.

WAS committed to the ſaid goal, on the 23d day April laſt, a certain Negroe man, who calls himſelf James, ſays he belongs to one Daniel Hughes, at John Didum's furnace, on Didum Creek, near Conegocheague, in Frederick county, Maryland; his maſter is hereby deſired to fetch him away, and pay charges, from me JACOB BACHMAN, Goaler. ¶

RUN away from the Subſcriber, of this city, the 28th of March laſt, at night, an apprentice lad, named JOHN CLEMM, by trade an upholſterer, between 16 and 17 years of age, about 5 feet 3 inches high, fair complexion, round viſaged, marked with the ſmall-pox, brown hair, tied behind, naturally frizzled, curls at the ſides, and has often a down look; he had on, when he went away, a brown bearſkin jacket, with metal buttons, red lapelled jacket underneath, lined with white flannel, a check ſhirt, white drilling breeches, black ſtockings, and ſteel buckles in his ſhoes; he was ſeen at Germantown, and then at Kenſington, partly near the Three-Stores, without a hat. Whoever ſecures the ſaid apprentice, ſo that his maſter may have him again, ſhall receive Forty Shillings reward, and reaſonable charges, paid by THOMAS LAWRENCE.

N. B. All maſters of veſſels, and others, are forbid to carry off, or harbour, ſaid apprentice, or they may expect to be proſecuted as the law directs.

To be LETT for a Term of Years,

A SMALL tenement, ſituate in Eaſt Whiteland townſhip, Cheſter county, joining on the great road leading from Lancaſter to Philadelphia; the houſe has two rooms on a floor, two fire places, cellar and ſhop, a large kitchen garden, and fire wood convenient, and other privileges, if required. It has for many years paſt been in the tenor of a weaver, ſhoemaker, ſadler, and ſtore-keeper. It is well ſituated for ſuch like buſineſs. For terms, enquire of the owner, living adjacent,

¶ RICHARD RICHISON.

RUN away from the ſubſcriber, living in Cecil county, Maryland, an Iriſh ſervant man, named PHILIP MURPHEY, about 5 feet 7 or 8 inches high; had on when he went away, a half worn hat, 2 jackets, the one ſpotted flannel, with ſleeves, the other a brown, without ſleeves, lately turned, and lined with white ſhaloon, a tow ſhirt patched, a pair of coarſe linen trowſers, made breeches faſhion, old claret coloured cloth breeches, a pair of ſtockings footed with lincey, and half worn pumps. He ſays he is a Copperſmith, and has been ſome time at ſea; he has been 2 or 3 years in the army, and was at the taking of the Havanna; he ſays he received a wound in his ſtomach, and carries the mark; he is a good Cobler, and a handy ingenious fellow at almoſt any thing. Whoever takes up and ſecures ſaid ſervant in any goal, ſo that his maſter may have him again, ſhall have Three Pounds reward, paid by me

‡ JONAS CHAMBERS.

N. B. The ſaid Philip Murphey has ſhort brown curled hair, and may change his name and clothes. All maſters of veſſels are forewarned not to carry him off at their peril.

TO BE SOLD,

A VALUABLE plantation, ſituate in Old Virginia, about 3 miles from Noland's Ferry, and joining to lands of Thomas George, Thomas Maybury, and John Tremble, containing 150 acres, about 60 whereof is clear, and 7 acres of good meadow, and more may be made, the remainder is well timbered; there is on ſaid place, a good dwelling-houſe, and barn, ſtables, and a good ſtill-houſe and ſtill. Likewiſe to be ſold, a young bearing apple orchard, containing 130 trees, beſides peach, and other fruit trees; the place all in good repair, and the title good. Any perſon inclining to purchaſe the ſame, may be acquainted with the conditions, by Anthony Hains, living in Baltimore county, 5 miles from Swoop's iron-works, on Little Pipe-Creek; or by the Subſcriber, living on the premiſes, FREDERICK WYSELL. ¶

NOTICE is hereby given to whom it may concern, that the owners of a piece or parcel of wild marſh, bounding on Delaware river, in the county of Salem, and province of New-Jerſey, lying and being between the lands of John Mecum and Allen Congleton, do intend to petition the houſe of General Aſſembly of the ſaid province, for leave to bring in a bill at the next ſeſſions of General Aſſembly, for the banking, laying of ſluices, and other things needful to be done, towards draining the aforeſaid piece of wild marſh. §

FIVE POUNDS Reward.

RUN away, the 17th of April laſt, from the ſubſcriber, living at Moſelem Forge, near Reading, in Berks county, in the province of Pennſylvania, an Iriſh ſervant man, named PATRICK WHITE, about 23 years of age, 5 feet 5 or 6 inches high, looks mild, yet deſigning, thin jaws, pale complexion, long face, pitted with the ſmall-pox, light grey eyes, drowſy as if inclined to ſleep, thin brown hair, thick legs, broad round ſhoulders, with a ſtoop in his neck, walks wide, ſlow and lazy, ſpeaks good Engliſh, tedious in ſpeech, and when merry is fond of rhymes and poetry, chews and ſmokes tobacco, is fond of drams, and other liqour, very loath to work, but much inclined to loll and ſleep; ſays he ſerved his time to a weaver in Dublin, came to New-York about 18 months ago, travelled through the Jerſeys, came to Eaſtown, was taken up and put in goal for 9 months as a runaway, was ſold and run away again, laſt taken up and put in Reading goal, and ſold by Nicholas Scull to the ſubſcriber: Had on, when he went away, an old brown jacket, an old blue and white mixed coloured cloth jacket, old leather breeches, old felt hat, Germantown light blue woollen ſtockings, new ſhoes, yellow buckles; alſo took away with him two new ozenbrigs ſhirts, one new ozenbrigs and check pair of trowſers. Whoever ſecures ſaid runaway ſervant in any of his Majeſty's goals, or brings him to his maſter, or to JACOB WINEY, merchant, in Philadelphia, ſhall have the above reward, and all reaſonable charges, paid by the ſubſcriber, at Moſelem Forge, or JACOB WINEY, in Philadelphia.

† HENRY SMITH.

N. B. It is thought he is gone towards New-York; all maſters of veſſels, or others, are forbid to harbour or carry him off.

Lancaſter County, April 18, 1769.

STOLEN from the ſubſcriber, living in Lampiter townſhip, Lancaſter county, on the night of the 12th inſtant, out of the ſtable, a bay HORSE, about 15 hands high, 5 years old, his two hind feet white, has a ſaddle mark on his left ſide, paces and trots. Whoever takes up and ſecures ſaid HORSE, ſo that the owner may have him again, ſhall have Forty Shillings reward, and reaſonable charges, paid by STEPHEN MAYER. †

RUN away from the ſubſcriber, living at Newark, two ſervant men; one named JOHN DAILY, a well ſet young fellow, about 5 feet 9 or 10 inches high, black hair, tied behind, about 25 years of age; had on, when he went away, an old white cloth coat, a rediſh brown cloth jacket, blue breeches, broken at the knees, grey ſtockings, old ſhoes, old ſtriped linen ſhirt, and a red handkerchief; profeſſes to be a Miller by trade, and has been in this country for ſome time; The other, named JOHN JONES, about 5 feet 8 inches high, a ſlim fellow, blind of one eye, and about 40 years of age; had on, when he went away, a little bound hat, a thin Wig, with one curl at bottom, and old mixt purple coloured coat, broken at the arms, no jacket, old ſtocking web breeches, old grey ſtockings, old ſhoes, and old buckles, not fellows; he profeſſes Horſemanſhip. Whoever takes up, and ſecures ſaid ſervants in any of his Majeſty's goals, or brings them to their maſter in Philadelphia, living in Second-ſtreet, on Society-Hill, at the Blue Bell, ſhall have Three Pounds reward for John Daily, and Twenty Shillings for John Jones, and reaſonable charges, paid by me

† JOSEPH ANDERSON.

WHEREAS JOHN PURDON, of Philadelphia has aſſigned over to us, the ſubſcribers, all his goods, debts and effects, in truſt for his creditors: This is to deſire all perſons indebted to him, to make immediate payment; and thoſe to whom he is indebted, are deſired to ſend in their accompts, to ALEXANDER BARTRAM, and GEORGE KENNEDY, Aſſignees. § April 26.

BOULTING-CLOTHS,

A freſh Aſſortment of ſuperfine, fine, middling, and coarſe, To be SOLD by

ROBERT and NATHANIEL LEWIS,

At their STORE, near the DRAWBRIDGE,

WHERE Millers, and Others, may be ſupplied, on reaſonable Terms, with Cloths of the beſt Quality, ſuitable to every Branch of the Boulting Buſineſs.---And thoſe who are unacquainted therein, may depend on having proper Directions for affixing them to the moſt Advantage.

They have alſo a few Pair of Cologne MILL-STONES, of various Dimenſions, to diſpoſe of. Tbc. 3 M.

York, April 13, 1769.

WHEREAS, I, the Subſcriber, did execute ſeveral bonds, unto a certain Jacob Myer, which bonds, bearing date on or about the 11th of June, 1762, and the ſaid Jacob Myer not performing his covenants to me, and probably never will be able; therefore, I do hereby forewarn all perſons not to take an aſſignment of the ſaid bonds, or any of them, as I ſhall diſpute the payments thereof.

§ CHRISTOPHER HOLLEBACH.

ABRAHAM SHELLEY,

Thread-maker, in Lombard-ſtreet, the third door above the New Market,

CONTINUES to make and ſell, for ready money, all ſorts of fine taylor's thread, houſewife and ſtocking ditto, and will engage them ſuperior to what is imported from Europe, in ſtrength, evenneſs, fineneſs, and cheapneſs; and as it will be a means of employing a great many poor people, who at this time want it, he hopes the merchants and ſhopkeepers in this city, and towns adjacent, will encourage him, by favouring him with their cuſtom, which he will always endeavour to merit. If he meets with proper encouragement, he can make all ſorts of white threads, ſuitable for the fineſt cambrick, and make them up either in the Engliſh, Scotch, Iriſh, or Dutch methods.

N. B. He buys good light half ſpangle linen yarn, and good well ſwingled flax; alſo gives out well hackled flax to good ſpinners, for which he gives ready money. ¶ 5. Tbctf.

TAKEN up by the Subſcriber, living in Straban townſhip, York county, a dark bay mare, about 13 hands high, branded on the ſhoulder W, a natural pacer, with a ſmall bell on; and a two year old dark bay mare, a natural pacer, no brand nor ear mark. The owner is deſired to come and prove his property, pay charges, and take them away. DAVID BEATY. §

To be SOLD,

A Handſome well finiſhed BRICK HOUSE, two ſtories high, four rooms below ſtairs, and four chambers, beſides garrets; the rooms above and below ſtairs are genteelly papered; a large dry cellar under the whole houſe, properly divided; a convenient kitchen adjoining, with chambers above for ſervants, ſituate in King-ſtreet in Trenton. The lot contains about three quarters of an acre, and extends through to Queen-ſtreet, on which are placed the ſtables. Alſo ſeveral five acre LOTS of meadow, orchard, and paſture lands, each good of their kind, near and convenient to the town. Likewiſe a good houſe, and new large framed barn, with 17 acres of excellent land, 8 acres of which is garden, meadow, and an orchard of the beſt grafted fruit; the remaining 9 acres good wood land, in Trenton alſo. The ſituation renders it very convenient for a ſhop-keeper, tradeſman, &c.

To be ſold alſo, that very valuable and pleaſantly ſituated farm and ferry, late Mr. Richard Stevens's Homeſted Farm, ſituated in Tenicum townſhip, Bucks county, now in poſſeſſion of Captain Tinbrooke, containing 416 acres, capable of making two very compleat farms. The purchaſer may have any of the above deſcribed lands, &c. on very moderate terms, and reaſonable credit given.---Good bonds on intereſt will be taken in payment.

¶ WILLIAM PIDGEON.

JUNIPER,

IS now in excellent order, and will cover MARES at Jacob Hiltzheimer's, in Seventh-ſtreet, near Market-ſtreet, at Twelve Dollars a mare the ſeaſon, or Six Dollars a ſingle leap, and Five Shillings to the groom. He is a fine bay horſe, of ſize, ſtrength and beauty, very healthy, and free from any blemiſh whatſoever, was got by Babram, ſon of Lord Godolphin's Arabian, his dam, which won the four years old plate at Burſord, from the famous Guſtavus, and 7 others, at 4 heats, by Stamford Turk; his grandam by a ſon of Fox, which was own brother to the famous gelding, called Conqueror; his great grandam by the Flying Childers; his great, great grandam, which was alſo the dam of the noted horſes Old Crab, Black Legs, Snip, &c. by Baſto; his great, great, great grandam, which was alſo the dam of Old Partner, and own ſiſter to Minburey, by the Curwin bay barb; his great, great, great, great grandam, by the Curwin Spot; his great, great, great, great, great grandam, by the white legged Lowther barb; his great, great, great, great, great, great grandam, was the famous Vintner mare. JUNIPER, after winning 15 plates in different parts of England, from the beſt horſes in the kingdom, ſtarted for the Jockey Club plate, on the 1ſt of May, 1760, and won it, beating Mr. Panton's famous horſe Feather, and Lord Rockingham's Remus, ſince came to Virginia to Col. Syme, who ſold him for 1000 l. Virginia currency.

Likewiſe, to cover at the ſame place, the fine horſe, called WHITE NOSE, bred in New-England, at Four Dollars a mare the ſeaſon, or Two Dollars a ſingle leap, and Two Shillings and Sixpence to the groom; he is a horſe of 15 hands high, and upwards, and more likely to get good ſaddle horſes than any other horſe in the province. The money, for both horſes, to be paid before the mares are taken out of the ſtable.

N. B. Thoſe mares that did not prove with foal by Juniper, the laſt ſeaſon, may have this ſeaſon for Six Dollars.

Tbc. 4 M. JACOB HILTZHEIMER.

Williſtown, Cheſter county, April 6, 1769.

THREE POUNDS Reward.

RUN away, from the Subſcriber, on the 5th of this inſtant, at night, an Iriſh ſervant man, named Edmund Denney, by trade a weaver, a well ſet fellow, about 20 years of age, 5 feet 5 inches high, of a pale complexion, a large buſhy head of hair, and had a bruiſe on his left cheek: Had on, when he went away, a new cloth jacket, of a lightiſh colour, with metal buttons, a check ſhirt, carved ſhag pluſh breeches, a pair of grey yarn ſtockings, half worn, old ſhoes, tied with leather ſtrings, a beaver hat, half worn, and a ſilk handkerchief. Whoever takes up the ſaid ſervant, and ſecures him in any goal, ſo that his maſter may have him again, ſhall have the above reward, and reaſonable charges, paid by

§ GEORGE SMEDLEY.

WHEREAS I have been informed, that a certain CROMWELL M'WHITEY, lives ſomewhere about Brandywine, who is a Brother of Edward M'Whitey, deceaſed; therefore I, who was the Widow of the ſaid Edward M'Whitey, am very deſirous of ſeeing the ſaid Cromwell, if I knew where to find him; or if he chuſes to enquire for me, living at Eaſt-town, I may there be found by the Name of my ſecond Huſband Conrad Rowan. ELIZABETH ROWAN. ‡

SIX DOLLARS Reward.

RUN away, about the 16th of November laſt, a ſervant man, named JAMES DAVENPORT, about 30 years of Age, 5 feet 8 or 9 inches high, a dark complexion, hollow eyes, long black hair, tied behind; had on, when he went away, a good caſtor hat, a grey lappelled coat, a blue waiſtcoat, buckſkin breeches, old ſhoes, and pinchbeck buckles; alſo took with him, a claret coloured coat and waiſtcoat, and a red ſilk waiſtcoat; he ſays, he was born in London, and has been 11 years in the ſervice, and got his diſcharge in Cork, in Ireland; he is a very good ſcholar, and has taught ſchool two years and a half in Sadſbury townſhip, Cheſter county, and took with him a certificate, ſigned by ſeveral of his employers. Whoever takes up and ſecures ſaid ſervant, in any goal, or brings him to the ſubſcriber, living in the townſhip aforeſaid, ſhall have the above reward, and reaſonable charges, paid by me

¶ 6 W. JAMES BOYD.

STRAYED away from JOHN CORREY, of Philadelphia, 22d of March, a bay MARE, 4 years old, near 15 hands high, a natural trotter, her hind feet white, and a ſmall ſtar in her forehead, ſhod before, neither brand nor ear-mark that is known. Whoever takes up the ſaid mare, and ſecures her, ſo as the owner may have her again, ſhall have FIFTEEN SHILLINGS, and reaſonable charges, paid by the ſubſcriber, § JOHN CORREY.

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public ſale, on Friday, the 2d day of June, at 7 o'clock in the afternoon, at the London Coffee-houſe, a lot of ground, ſituate on the ſouth ſide of Market and eaſt ſide of Sixth-ſtreets, containing in front on Market-ſtreet 39 feet 9 inches, and extending back on Sixth-ſtreet 180 feet to Minor-ſtreet, having a large well built 3 ſtory brick meſſuage, 32 feet front, and 48 feet in depth, with large back buildings adjoining, thereon erected; alſo one other lot of ground, ſituate on the eaſt ſide of Sixth-ſtreet, and ſouth ſide of Minor-ſtreet, containing in front on Sixth-ſtreet 86 feet, and in depth on Minor-ſtreet 39 feet 9 inches, with a coach-houſe and ſtables erected thereon, both lots ſubject to a ground-rent of £16 Pennſylvania currency per annum. At the ſame time will be ſold, one other lot of ground, containing in front on Market-ſtreet 22 feet, and in depth 180 feet to Minor-ſtreet, adjoining the firſt deſcribed lot; alſo one other lot of ground, ſituate on the ſouth ſide of Minor-ſtreet, containing in front 18 feet 10 inches, and in depth 86 feet; late the eſtate of Alexander Stedman Eſq; ſeized and taken in execution, by

JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

BY Virtue of a Writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public Sale, on Friday, the 2d of June, at 2 o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the Houſe of Mrs. Mackinett, in Germantown; a certain Plantation, or Tract of Land, ſituate on the Road, leading from Wiſſahickon to Germantown Road, commonly called Shute's Road, containing about 22 Acres, the greateſt Part Meadow Ground, and a thriving Orchard, having a wooden Tenement and large Barn erected thereon, now in the Tenure of John Deel.

Alſo a certain Lot of Ground, ſituate on Manheim-ſtreet, in Germantown, containing about 13 Acres; bounded Eaſtward and Weſtward by Ground of Edward Shippen, Eſq; ſeized and taken in Execution, by JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

To be SOLD, by public VENDUE,

On the 10th Day of June next enſuing the Date hereof, by the Subſcribers (Executrix and Executor of the Laſt Will and Teſtament of Joſhua Bond, late of Baltimore County, Maryland, deceaſed, and purſuant thereto, for Caſh, or ſhort Credit, on giving Security, if required,

A GOOD new Merchant-Mill and Griſt-Mill, double geered, which are compleatly finiſhed, with two Pair of Stones, two Boulting-Cloths and hoiſting Geers, all going by Water. A good new framed Saw-Mill, well covered, and running Geers, in good Repair. The ſaid Mills are built on an approved good Part of a never-failing Stream of Water, known by the Name of Winter's Run, and they being but about 6 Miles from Buſh-River Landing, and 7 Miles from Joppa, in ſaid County, and in a populous Neighbourhood, it renders the Griſt-Mill extraordinary well ſituated for getting Grain, either for Merchant or Country Griſt; and the Saw-Mill to have conſtant Employ, there being always great Demand for Plank of all Sorts. There is alſo to be ſold, with ſaid Mills, about 30 or 40 Acres of good Land adjoining thereto, well timbered, and great Part may (by little Expence) be made good Meadow of.

All Perſons that have any juſt Demands againſt the Eſtate of the aforeſaid Joſhua Bond, are hereby deſired to bring in their Accounts, regularly proved, that they may be adjuſted. And all thoſe that are indebted to the ſaid Eſtate, are hereby once more requeſted to make immediate Payment, and by their ſo doing they will prevent Trouble (that muſt enſue from their Non-payment) to themſelves, as well as to

ANN BOND, Executrix,
May 13, 1769. ‖ WILLIAM BOND, Executor.

New-Caſtle Goal, March 13, 1769.

WHEREAS the ſubſcriber, upon his petition to the Honourable Houſe of Aſſembly of the government of the counties of New-Caſtle, Kent and Suſſex, upon Delaware, the 26th day of October laſt, applied for an act of aſſembly to diſcharge him from his confinement (he not being entitled to the benefit of the act of aſſembly of the ſaid government, intituled, "An act for the relief of inſolvent debtors,") obtained an order of the ſaid houſe, whereby he was commanded, "to cauſe advertiſements to be inſerted in the Pennſylvania Gazettee, ſix weeks before the next meeting of the ſaid houſe, therein giving notice to his ſeveral creditors, of his application to the ſaid houſe to be diſcharged from his confinement, and that they ſhould attend the ſaid houſe on the third day of June next, to make their objections (if any they ſhould have) to the prayer of ſaid petitioner." In obedience to which order, I do hereby give notice to all perſons concerned, to attend on the ſaid third day of June next, if they, or any of them, have any objections to my being diſcharged.

§ *WILLIAM SCOTT.*

To be ſold by way of public vendue, on the firſt day of June next, on the premiſes, in the village of Artleborough, commonly called The Four Lanes End, in Bucks county,

A LOT of GROUND, containing about one quarter of an acre, on which there is a good two ſtory ſtone-houſe and kitchen, having two rooms on a floor, a good cellar under the ſame; one other houſe adjoining the kitchen, 40 feet long, and 20 wide, divided into two rooms for a ſtore-houſe and ſhop, with ſhelves in the ſame, ſufficient to hold a large quantity of goods, a large garret over the ſame, a framed chair and waggon-houſe, and ſmoak-houſe. One other lot of about 4 acres, with an orchard of upwards of 80 apple trees, a number of peach and cherry trees, a nurſery of above 1000 young apple trees, good ſtable and barrack on the ſaid lot; it is pleaſantly ſituated in a good part of the country for almoſt any public buſineſs, about 22 miles from Philadelphia, 7 from Briſtol, and 4 from Newtown; the buildings very good, and convenient for ſtore-keeping, or would ſuit a tradeſman of any kind. The conditions of payment will be made eaſy, and known at the time and place of ſale, by

‡4w. JOHN THORNTON.

WHEREAS in purſuance of an act of General Aſſembly of this province, intituled, an act for granting the ſum of Sixty Thouſand Pounds for the King's uſe, and for ſtriking Fifty-five Thouſand Pounds thereof in bills of Credit, and to provide a fund for ſinking the ſame, the following tract of located and unimproved land was duly valued, and rated by the Aſſeſſors, for the county of Northampton, at Five Pounds per hundred, the property of James Hayes, in the county of Suſſex, and province of Weſt New-Jerſey, viz. a tract of land, containing about 144 acres, ſituate in Delaware townſhip, in the county of Northampton; bounded by lands of Eliſha Decker, and others.

And whereas the owner of the ſaid tract of land hath neglected to pay the Collector of the ſaid townſhip, the ſum of Ten Shillings and Nine-pence, which, according to the ſaid valuation, was aſſeſſed and laid upon ſaid land, as the proportion thereof for one year for ſaid tax, by the ſaid act impoſed: We, the Commiſſioners of the county of Northampton aforeſaid, in purſuance of the ſaid act, do hereby give notice, that on the 15th day of Auguſt next, at the houſe of Jacob Swartwood, in Delaware townſhip, we will expoſe to ſale, by public vendue, the abovementioned tract of located unimproved land, or ſuch part thereof, as will be ſufficient to anſwer the ſaid tax, and all charges accruing by reaſon of non-payment thereof, to the higheſt bidder. The ſale to begin at 10 o'clock in the forenoon. Given under our hands at Eaſton, the 8th day of May, 1769. CASPER DOLL, JOHN WETZEL, HARMAN SNEIDER. ¶ 3M.

STOLEN the 5th inſtant, out of a paſture in New-London townſhip, Cheſter county, a black HORSE, with a ſmall ſtar in his forehead, about 14 hands high, one of his hind feet white, and has a remarkable white ſpot on his near buttock, round bodied, and has not as yet caſt his hair, a natural pacer, and has a ſhort ſwitch tail. Any perſon who detects the thief, ſo that he be brought to juſtice, ſhall have Three Pounds reward, or Twenty Shillings for the HORSE only, paid by me WILLIAM M'DOWELL. §

Philadelphia, May 16, 1769.

JUST IMPORTED, in the Ship Chalkley, Peter Young, Commander, from BRISTOL, A Number of healthy, likely, Engliſh and Welch indented SERVANTS, moſt of them are Youths, from 14 to 21 Years of Age, amongſt whom are ſeveral Tradeſmen; alſo ſeveral young Women, whoſe Times are to be diſpoſed of by JAMES and DRINKER, or by the Captain on board ſaid Ship, at their Wharff.

Philadelphia, May 16, 1769.

TO be SOLD on board the HERCULES, CAPTAIN SCOTT, from Briſtol, and now lying off Market-ſtreet wharff, a few ſervant MEN, WOMEN and BOYS, chiefly tradeſmen, viz. A File-maker, Mathematician, Painters and Glaziers, Shoemakers, a Plaiſterer, Coach-maker, Sawyer, &c. Alſo a few boxes of lemons, grindſtones, Smith's and houſe coal. For terms apply to THOMAS SAVADGE, or ſaid Maſter on board.

Philadelphia, May 8, 1769.

To be ſold by STEPHEN WATTS, living in Arch-ſtreet, near Front-ſtreet,

TWO Lots or Pieces of Land, in the Townſhip of Blockley, and County of Philadelphia.---One of them ſituate at the croſſing of the Lancaſter and Haverford Roads, about a Mile from the Corporation Ferry, over Schuylkill, containing 40 Acres of Land, chiefly cleared:-----The other ſituate half a Mile further up, on the South-ſide of the Haverford Road, containing about 32 Acres of Wood-land; being bounded Weſtward by Lands belonging to the Eſtates of Charles Jenkins, and James Coultas, deceaſed. Perſons inclinable to purchaſe, will be ſhewn the Premiſes, on Application to Mr. Jonathan Humphreys, at the ſaid Ferry, or to the ſaid Stephen Watts.

N. B. The whole purchaſe Money, or any Part of it, may remain in the Purchaſer's Hands, on good Security, 4 or 5 Years; and he may depend on a clear and indiſputable Title. Tbctf.

To be LETT or SOLD, by the Subſcriber,

A TRACT of LAND, containing 100 acres (divided into lots) ſituate in Glouceſter county, Weſt New-Jerſey, bounded by lands of Daniel and William Cooper, and the river Delaware, oppoſite Market and Cheſtnut-ſtreets, in the city of Philadelphia; a plan of which is to be ſeen at the London-Coffee-houſe, at Peter Thomſon's, conveyancer, in Race-ſtreet, and at the ſubſcriber's in Arch-ſtreet.

As it is not the intention of the ſubſcriber to magnify the advantages which tenants or purchaſers of lots will have, he hopes he may be permitted to mention a few things, which muſt ſtrike, and ſhew the eligibleneſs of his plan.

He takes it for granted it is univerſally known, that the pleaſant and the profitable, have generally been choſen by the wiſeſt of men, in preference to either of them ſeparately; and though to a trading people it muſt be confeſſed that many profitable advantages may ariſe from ſituation alone, yet however men may engage themſelves in the purſuit of wealth, it ſhould be their principal care to live where delightful proſpects and wholeſome air invites them; for what will it avail to acquire all the good things of this life, if health afterwards is wanting to enjoy them. The agreeable ſituation of theſe lots, it muſt be allowed, are inviting. It may be ſaid with great juſtice, that while the air is dry and wholeſome, the proſpect on all ſides, but particularly of this city, is delightfully pleaſant. They abound with many natural advantages as well for pleaſure as for buſineſs, fiſhing and fowling; a ſoil fitted for gardening, and the raiſing of earlier fruits than Pennſylvania affords; the opportunity of purchaſing all kind of proviſions, as an addition towards houſe-keeping; the conveniency of being near the city of Philadelphia for diſtilleries, breweries, lumber yards, ſtores, and other offices, all which advantages they have, beſides many others, of being ſuitable for the buſineſs of moſt kinds of mechanics. Or ſhould gentlemen incline to become purchaſers, they may be equally well accommodated. The diverſions of fiſhing and fowling has been already mentioned, add to theſe the pleaſant amuſement of ſailing on the water in ſummer, and the certainty of having excellent roads for carriages and riding in winter, are things not to be ranked amongſt the leaſt deſirable----"Sailing and riding, ſays a great author, are profitable exerciſes; while they relax the mind, they ſtrengthen the body, and enable it to purſue induſtry with more ſpirit." Perſons, whoſe weak or fickly ſtate of body call for proper air and relaxation, may alſo be ſuitably accommodated. If their diſorders require the drinking of mineral waters, they are at hand; while change of air through a delightful country, which phyſicians often ſucceſsfully recommend, may, from the goodneſs of the road, be uſed at all ſeaſons. As to the title and terms on which the premiſes are to be diſpoſed of, apply to JACOB COOPER.

TO BE SOLD,

SIXTEEN Lots of valuable improved meadow ground, containing two acres each lot, ſituated at the lower end of Point-no-Point, and very ſuitable for people living at the upper end of the city, the Northern Liberties, Frankford, or Germantown. Some part of the purchaſe money will be expected at ſigning the deeds, the remainder will be made eaſy to the purchaſers.

Likewiſe will be LETT on groundrent forever, with liberty to buy off (or will be ſold intirely) ſundry lots of fine high ground, fit for building on, delightfully ſituated on the bank of Delaware river, near Kenſington, fronting on the weſt ſide of a fine new ſtreet, 70 feet wide, laid out on the bank of the ſaid river. Alſo a number of water lots, on the eaſt ſide of the ſaid 70 feet ſtreet, and croſſing another ſtreet, into the river. Any perſons inclining to purchaſe or leaſe any of the above lots, are deſired to apply to WILLIAM BALL, in Philadelphia, next door to the London Coffee-houſe, where a plan of the whole may be ſeen.

The beautiful and open ſituation of theſe lots, are more eaſily ſeen on the ſpot than deſcribed; they have on the front the river Delaware and Jerſey ſhore, then turning towards the right, have a fine view of the city and harbour of Philadelphia, the extending village of Kenſington, and a fine improving landſkip round, till the eye again meets the river; is a delightful morning or evening walk; and as lots near this growing city greatly increaſe in value, theſe muſt afford a preſent pleaſure, and a conſiderable profit. Tbc. 6 W.

RUN away from the ſubſcriber, living in Lower Merion, Philadelphia county, on the 26th of April laſt, an Iriſh ſervant woman, named NELLY JONES, about 24 years of age, has a great deal of hair in her head, is long faced, large breaſts, and big belly, thick arms, takes large ſteps in her walking, ſpeaks good Engliſh, and talks much: Had on, when ſhe went away, a woollen ſhort gown and petticoat, with ſome dark ſtripes, and a lincey ſtriped petticoat, two pair of yarn ſtockings, one brown, the other white, a pair of thread ſtockings, and a blue cloth cloak, with a cape to it. Whoever takes up and ſecures ſaid ſervant, ſo that her maſter may have her again, ſhall have Twenty Shillings reward, and reaſonable charges, paid by

HUGH JONES.

N. B. It is ſuppoſed ſhe will change her name and clothes. †

TWO DOLLARS Reward.

STRAYED away, the 9th inſtant, a dark bay MARE, near 15 hands high, four years old, has a high boney forehead, a ſtar in her face, and a ſmall ſtroke of white on one ſide her noſe; ſhe trots very light, but is apt to cut herſelf behind, and had her heels a little ſwelled when ſhe went away. Whoever takes up ſaid MARE, and will bring her to JOHN CHANDLER's, at the Fox and Hounds, in Fourth-ſtreet, ſhall receive the above reward, and all reaſonable charges paid. ‡

Glouceſter Goal, in New-Jerſey, May 5, 1769.

WHEREAS the ſubſcriber hereof, having heretofore been poſſeſſed of goods and effects of ſome conſiderable value, but by the hardneſs of the times, and other misfortunes, he has been rendered incapable of ſatisfying his creditors demands, as ſome of his ſaid creditors have already ſtript him of all he had, and ſome others of his creditors are ſo relentleſs, notwithſtanding his diſtreſſed circumſtance and condition, have confined him, and refuſed to comply with any terms, till the whole of their debts are paid: Theſe are therefore to give notice to all perſons concerned, that he intends to apply at the next meeting of the General Aſſembly of this province of New-Jerſey, for relief in the premiſes.

† THOMAS WILSON.

AN Hundred and Thirty Dozen of SICKLES, ready prepared for the enſuing Harveſt, which are made with the utmoſt Care, will be ſold at the loweſt Rate, and inſured good by JAMES HENDRICKS, Cutler, at the Sign of the Sickle, the fourth Door above the Priſon, in Market-ſtreet.

N. B. A Servant Lad's Time to be diſpoſed of by ſaid Hendricks, who has about 4 Years to ſerve. ‖

Philadelphia, May 10, 1769.

AS the partnerſhip of STAMPER and BINGHAM is diſſolved, by the death of William Bingham, all perſons having any demands againſt them, are deſired to bring in their accounts to the ſubſcriber, that they may be ſettled and paid; and all thoſe, that are any ways indebted, are requeſted to pay immediately, to prevent further trouble.

JOSEPH STAMPER.

All perſons having any demands againſt the eſtate of WILLIAM BINGHAM, deceaſed, are deſired to bring in their accounts, duly proved, that they may be ſettled; and thoſe who are indebted to the ſaid eſtate, are requeſted to pay immediately.

MARY BINGHAM, Executrix.
JOSEPH STAMPER, JOHN GIBSON, } Executors.
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Philadelphia, May 16, 1769.

RAN away laſt night from the ſubſcriber, an apprentice lad, named Peter Peterſon, about 19 years of age, near 5 feet 7 inches high, much marked with the ſmall-pox, has red hair, and a ſandy complexion, had on, when he went away, a light blue coloured cloth coat, and breeches of the ſame, and a light coloured cloth jacket, an old caſtor hat, white ſhirt, thread ſtockings, and old ſhoes. Whoever takes up ſaid apprentice, and brings him to MATTHIAS LANDENBERGER, ſhall receive a reward of SIX-PENCE for their trouble. ‖

TO BE SOLD,

AN IRISH SERVANT MAN's TIME, who has above 4 Years to ſerve, and is fit for Town or Country Buſineſs. Enquire of the PRINTERS; JOSIAH DAVENPORT, at the Bunch of Grapes, in Third-ſtreet; or THOMAS TRUSTIN, Bricklayer, in Cherry-Alley.

WHEREAS, by an act of aſſembly of this province, paſſed the 18th of February, 1769, the following perſons ſubſcribers hereto, are inveſted with a legal eſtate and title in the New Dutch Calviniſt church, and lot of ground thereunto belonging, ſituate on Fourth-ſtreet in this city, in truſt for the uſes and purpoſes in the ſaid act mentioned and ſpecified; notice is therefore hereby given, that the ſaid truſtees are now ready to receive any applications for the purchaſe of the aforeſaid premiſes. The building, which was deſigned for a church, is 53 feet by 82 feet, and well adapted to the intended purpoſe; the ſhell, or outſide only is compleated, ſo that the inſide may readily be made to anſwer the deſigns of the purchaſers; the lot, on which it ſtands, is 67 feet and an half by 107 feet, ſubject to a yearly groundrent of 24 l. ſterling. Any individuals, bodies politic or corporate, inclining to purchaſe the aforeſaid premiſes, are requeſted to make their propoſals before Wedneſday, the 7th of June next, at which time (if not diſpoſed of before) they will be ſold by public vendue, at the London Coffee-houſe, at 6 o' clock in the evening. ANDREW BANKSON, MOORE FURMAN, FRANCIS HOPKINSON, PETER KNIGHT, JOHN ORD. ¶

To be SOLD, by public VENDUE,

On Wedneſday, the 31ſt of this inſtant May, at 2 o' clock, on the premiſes, by the Subſcriber,

A VALUABLE plantation and tavern, ſituate in the townſhip of Weſt-Caln, Cheſter county, on the great road leading from Lancaſter to Philadelphia, near John Miller's, Eſq; know by the ſign of the Mariner's Compaſs; the place contains near 200 acres of land, well timbered, and a conſiderable quantity cleared; 25 acres of good well watered meadow; there is thereon, a good orchard, and a large hop-yard, good ſtone dwelling-houſe, and log kitchen, a barn, ſhed, and malt-houſe. It is now under a leaſe of 3 years from the 1ſt of April laſt, to a careful tenant, who pays the rent well, and keeps it in good order. The whole is commodiouſly ſituated for carrying on public buſineſs. The purchaſer, paying one half ready money, may have a ſufficient title, and time to pay the other half, free from intereſt, he giving bond and ſecurity; at which time and place, due attendance will be given by me

¶ ANDREW CULBERTSON.

New-Caſtle, April 24, 1769.

NOTICE is hereby given to the owners of the marſh and cripple, ſituate on Red Lyon Creek, in New-Caſtle county, that they attend the Honourable Houſe of Aſſembly at New-Caſtle, on the 5th day of June next, to make their objections (if any they have) to the prayer of ſundry of the owners of part of ſaid cripple and marſh, to the ſaid Houſe of Aſſembly in October laſt, for clearing Red Lyon Creek, and ſundry other requeſts contained therein, for the benefit of the owners, &c. ‡

CAME to the plantation of the ſubſcriber, living in Saliſbury townſhip, Lancaſter county, on the 12th day of April inſt. a dark bay HORSE, about 6 years old; and a dark bay MARE, about 5 years old, with a ſtar in her forehead. The owner or owners are deſired to come, prove their property, pay charges, and take them away. JOSEPH COOKSON. ¶

CAME to the plantation of the ſubſcriber, living in Saliſbury townſhip, Lancaſter county, ſome time ago, a red and white COW, giving milk. The owner is deſired to come, prove his property, pay charges, and take her away.

April 21, 1769. JOSEPH DICKENSON. §

NOW in Cuſtody of the Subſcriber, a NEGROE Man named Dublin, who ſays he belongs to Mr. John Patton, at Berkſhire Furnace, in Berks County. His Maſter is deſired to come, pay Charges, and take him away.

Cheſter, April 29, 1769. ¶ JOSEPH THOMAS, Goaler.

WHEREAS I, PETER SHOFF, of Cumberland County, Pennſylvania, gave to ALEXANDER M'NUTT two Bonds; one for Thirty-three Pounds Shillings, and Eight-pence, payable the Eighth of May, 1769; the other alſo for the ſame Sum, payable the Eighth of May, 1770, in Conſideration for a Tract of Land ſold by him to me; but as he hath not fulfilled his Contract, this ſerves to forbid all Perſons from taking Aſſignments of ſaid Bonds, as I will not pay the Money, until he fulfils his Engagement.

¶ PETER SHOFF.

TO BE SOLD,

A VERY valuable plantation, or tract of land, situate in the county of Salem, and province of West New-Jersey, near the town of Salem aforesaid, containing about 600 acres, with good buildings, orchards, and every other thing necessary for grazing and tilling. For further particulars enquire of SAMUEL OAKFORD, on the premises; JOSEPH HART, at Port Penn; WILLIAM HEWLINGS, Esq; in Burlington; or JOHN HART, in Philadelphia.

N. B. Any time, not exceeding seven years, will be given for the payment of the purchase Money, paying intereſt, and giving security, if required. Tbctf.

WHEREAS RICHARD COLLINGS, Gardener, once of the Northern Liberties, for some Years past hath not followed raising of Garden Seeds, as he formerly did, by Reason of a Removal to the Jerseys, and not having his Ground properly cultivated for that Business; he now gives Public Notice, That for these last Two Years, he has taken Care to procure an Assortment of the best GARDEN SEEDS, Pease and Beans of all Sorts, and begs the Favour of his former Customers to apply to him, at his Stand, at the upper End of the Jersey Market, Philadelphia, on the North Side, where they shall be kindly used. ‡

To be SOLD, and may be entered upon the first day of Sixth Month (June) next,

A LARGE LOT of LAND, situate between Sixth and Seventh-streets, in the city of Philadelphia, near the State-house, having two fronts of 237 feet each, one on Chestnut-street, and the other on a street running east and west thro' the square. The breadth of the lot, north and south, is 151 feet. There is on it a very convenient brick dwelling-house, kitchen, stables, coach-house, and other improvements, now in the tenure of Dr. Thomas Graham. As the whole together is an airy pleasant situation for a family, the owner would choose to sell it in that manner, but if not sold so, before the above date, he proposes to divide it into a number of lots, either for sale, or to be leased on groundrent. For further information apply to JOHN SMITH, in Burlington. T.b.c.t.f.

N. B. The aforesaid premises, if not sold, or lett on groundrent, will be to be rented together at the above time.

THIS is to give notice, that there is in the hands of the Rev. *Peter Peterson Van Horne*, executor of the estate of *Peter Duffield*, deceased, a bond of 100l. which was given in part of payment for a tract of land, containing 501 acres; which said land was warranted to me, the Subscriber, by said *Peter Duffield*, deceased, against all manner of persons, claiming any right thereto. And whereas one *James Haldane*, did commence a suit, endeavouring to recover part of said tract, and is now upon trial.---Therefore, this is to forewarn all persons from taking an assignment of said bond; for I will not pay it, unless compelled thereto by law. SAMUEL SWIFT. ¶

TWENTY SHILLINGS Reward.

RUN away, on the 15th of this instant April, from the Subscriber, living in Philadelphia, a Servant Girl, named Margaret Williams, born in England, brown Hair, fresh coloured, 5 Feet 2 or 3 Inches high: Had on, when she went away, a Pompadour coloured Calimanco Gown, 1 Halfthick blue Petticoat, 1 flowered Flannel Ditto, 1 Ozenbrigs Smock, and Apron, 1 red Flag Silk Handkerchief, 1 Silk and Cotton Ditto, black Silk Hat, blue Yarn Stockings, Leather Shoes, and Brass Buckles. Whoever takes up said Servant, and secures her, so that her Master may have her again, shall have the above Reward, and reasonable Charges, paid by me EDMOND BEACH. ‖

EIGHT DOLLARS Reward.

RUN away from the Subscriber, living near Indian River, an indented Servant Man, named PURMOTT LEE, about 6 Feet high, 25 Years of Age, and a little hard of Hearing, was born at Egg-Harbour, where it is supposed he is now, as his Wife and Father were seen travelling the Road that leads to that Place. Whoever takes up the said Servant, and brings him to John Mifflin, Merchant in Philadelphia, or to his Master at Indian River, shall receive the above Reward, from ¶ JOHN JONES.

STRAYED or stolen off the Pasture at Shippensburgh, the 3d of this instant April, a little bay MARE, near 14 Hands high, paces, shod before, bob Tail, some Saddle Marks, and had on a Bell, with a broad Collar, no Brand. Any Person returning her to the Subscriber, or to John Pollock, Tavern-keeper in Carlisle, shall receive TWENTY SHILLINGS from ¶ WILLIAM PIPER.

RUN away from the subscriber, on the 9th instant, an apprentice lad, named JOHN PIMPEL, 18 years of age, by trade a Taylor, near 5 feet high, thin pale face, and short black hair; had on, when he went away, a brown coat, with white washed buttons, blue lining, a waistcoat of green nap, the nap wore off, so that it resembles green cloth, a blue pair of cloth breeches, black worsted stockings, a middling good pair of shoes, with brass buckles, a white shirt, and a fine new hat, of John Duncan's make. Whoever takes up the said John Pimpel, or secures him in any of his Majesty's goals, so that his master may have him again, shall have Ten Shillings reward, and reasonable charges, paid by me ANTHONY GROVE, Taylor. ¶

N. B. He was born in this country, of Dutch parents, talks very quick, and speaks both Dutch and English very well, but stutters a little.

WHEREAS I the Subscriber, in the Year 1762, gave to one William Craig, two Bonds for above One Hundred Pounds each, and some Time afterwards did give one Judgment Bond to said Craig for One Hundred Pounds; but finding since that the said Craig cannot fulfil his Engagement with me, these are therefore to forewarn all Persons from taking an Assignment of either of said Bonds, as I intend to dispute the Payment of any of them. ROBERT M'MURTRIE. ‡

A good STABLE, and commodious CARRIAGE-HOUSE in Lombard-street, Between Second and Front-streets, Are to be LETT on REASONABLE TERMS. Enquire of the PRINTERS hereof.

WHEREAS JOHN TRAPNALL illegally obtained a note of me, for the payment of Five Pounds, in May, 1769; I do hereby forewarn all persons not to take an assignment on said note, as I intend not to pay it until compelled by law. THOMAS LENNON.

A man that understands distilling of CORDIALS, &c. may hear of employment, by applying to the PRINTERS hereof. ¶

Maryland, Piscataway, December 14, 1768.

RUN away from the subscriber, an indented servant man, named THOMAS CORESHILL, by trade a Stone-mason, is well set, turns his toes in when he walks, and is about 5 feet 8 inches high; had on, when he went away, an ozenbrigs shirt, a new light coloured kersey coat and breeches, with flat metal buttons, and an old beaver hat. Whoever secures said Coreshill, so that he may be had again, shall receive the reward of Three Pounds, if taken out of the province, and Twenty Shillings, if taken within, besides the allowance by law.

WILLIAM DIGGES.

N. B. It is supposed that this servant will make for York or Lancaster. tbc6W.

To be SOLD by

RICHARD WALN,

At his Store in Water-street, between Arch and Race Streets;

A QUANTITY of excellent Cheshire Cheese, Burlington Gammons, Russia Sail-Cloth, a few Chests of Bohea Tea, an Assortment of European and East-India Goods, suitable for the Season, imported in the last Vessels from England. And Pennsylvania manufactured Starch, for Exportation or home Consumption, warranted good. ¶

Philadelphia, April 15, 1769.

RUN away from John Chirington, of this city, an Irish servant man, named JOHN CONNER, by trade a Leather Breeches Maker, about 5 feet 5 inches high, with black hair; had on when he went away, a new hat, a brown cloth coat, a blue plush jacket, check shirt, new leather breeches, thread stockings, and new shoes: Whoever takes up said servant, and secures him, so that his master may have him again, shall have Four Dollars reward, and reasonable charges, paid by me JOHN CHIRINGTON.

N. B. All masters of vessels are forbid to carry him off at their peril.

To be SOLD by

JOHN JENNINGS,

On the East Side of Second-street, between Race and Vine-streets, the following Articles, at the lowest Rates, viz.

BEST Green Tea, Bohea Ditto by the Dozen; Coffee, Chocolate, single and double refined Loaf Sugar, Muscovado Ditto by the Barrel; Rum, Melasses, Starch, Blue, Raisins, Currants; Spices of all Sorts; Mustard, Snuff, Oil, Soap, Candles, &c. &c.

Salem, West New-Jersey, April 19, 1769.

TWELVE DOLLARS Reward.

ABSCONDED from his usual Place of Abode, on the 16th Instant, a certain Doctor THOMAS OGLE, born in Ireland, about five Feet six or seven Inches high, pitted with the Small-pox, is given to Liquor, and when in Drink talks much of his Skill in Physic and Surgery; has had one of his Legs broke, and commonly wears a Handkerchief about it; had on, when he went away, a half-worn Beaver Hat, Bearskin Coat, Buckskin Breeches, Worsted Stockings, and good Shoes, with Pinchbeck Buckles. He took with him a Silver Watch, a Silver Face, Maker's Name Wm. Clayton, London, No. 2450, rode a sorrel Horse, with a Blaze in his Face; and had a Couple of Boxes, with Medicines in them (like a Pedlar's Pack) and a Suit of Fustian, not made up. Whoever takes up the said Dr. Ogle, and secures him in any of his Majesty's Goals, shall receive the above Reward. THOMAS HARTLEY, DANIEL LITHGOW, PETER AMBLER.

N. B. All Watch-Makers are desired to stop the said Watch, if offered for Sale, or otherwise. ¶

SAMUEL HOWELL,

In Water-street, near Chestnut-street, has for sale,

MADEIRA WINE, of the first quality, 5 years old last vintage; London loaf sugar, B. Benton's London porter, in hampers; Bristol bottled beer; Cheshire and Gloucester cheese; crates of sheet glass, sheathing paper, &c.

All persons indebted to Samuel Howell, by bond, or otherwise, are desired to pay, to prevent cost. Tbc.

IF GEORGE SCHEINTS, who came to Philadelphia from Francfort, in Germany, about 14 years ago, is living, and will apply to RICHARD MOORE, in Alloway's Creek, Salem County, he may hear of his brother HENRY SCHEINTS, who will be very glad of the opportunity of seeing him ¶ March 22, 1769.

Just imported by

HUGH DONNALDSON,

And to be sold cheap for cash, or short credit, at his store in Walnut-street,

BROAD cloths, bearskins, beavercoating, kerseys, plains, halfthicks, blue duffils, naps and frizes, red striped duffil, blankets, blue, green and mottled rugs, red, white and striped flannels, embossed serges and shaloons, black, blue and red shag, cotton velvets, velverets, British ozenbrigs, 7 eights and yd. wide Irish linen, 9 eights and 5 qr. sheeting, a great variety of 11 nail, 3 qr. 7 eights, yd. wide, and yd. and 3 eights cotton and linen checks and stripes, check handkerchiefs, cotton holland, 6 and 7 qr. bed bunts, ticken, white incle, striped tapes, worsted bindings, nonsopretties, brown, white and coloured threads, needles and pins, basket buttons and twist, variety of cutlery and Birmingham ware, 3, 10 and 20 d. nails, in whole and half casks. Tbc. 3 M.

BOULTING CLOTHS, of the best sort, superfine, fine, middling, and coarse, to be sold by

DANIEL WILLIAMS,

At his house, in Chestnut-street, between Fourth-street, and the State-House, and at his STORE on the west side of Front-street, about half-way between the London Coffee-House, and Chestnut-street;

WHERE Millers, and others, who are not skilled in chusing boulting cloths, may depend on being supplied with the best cloths, suitable for every branch of the Boulting Business, with directions for affixing and using the same, if desired, as he has had long experience in MILLERING and BOULTING CLOTHS. Tbc3M.

THESE are to give Notice, That a Number of the Inhabitants, on both Sides of great Timber Creek, in the County of Glocester, intend to present a Petition to the General Assembly of New-Jersey, at the next Sessions, praying Leave, that a Bill may be brought in, to build a Bridge over said Creek, to and from the Lands late George Maple's, and Samuel Clements, deceased, to be so constructed as not to interrupt the Navigation. *New-Jersey, April 4, 1769.*

RUN away last night, from the subscriber, living in Upper Salford township, Philadelphia county, an Irish servant lad, named JAMES WALL, about 16 years of age, about 5 feet high, but slim, and small faced; he has black curled hair, bushy on the top of his head; had on, when he went away, an old hat, a grey nap jacket, and swanskin under ditto, old patched buckskin breeches, white yarn stockings, with holes, old shoes, and white linen shirt. Whoever takes up the said servant, and brings him to Mr. Lewis Farmer, Tavernkeeper, at the sign of the Buck, in Second-street, Philadelphia; or to the Widow Gerhard, in Franconia township, or to any other Tavernkeeper, and gives notice thereof, so that his master may have him again, shall have Forty Shillings reward, and reasonable charges, paid by me HENRY DIETZ. April 17, 1769. ¶

TO BE SOLD,

A LIKELY HEALTHY NEGROE MAN, 25 years of age; has had the small-pox and measles, understands the taking care of horses, or any kind of work common in town: He is sober and honest, but is too fond of company for the family he is in. The price is EIGHTY POUNDS. Enquire of the PRINTERS hereof. ¶

THREE POUNDS Reward.

STOLEN out of the subscriber's stable, living in Leacock township, Lancaster county, on the night of the 13th of April inst. a bay MARE, about 14 hands high, a natural pacer, neither brand nor ear mark, a star in her forehead, her mane trimmed, not shod, of a good carriage and courage. Whoever secures said MARE, so as the owner may have her again, shall have the above reward, paid by JACOB STONER. ¶

JERUSALEM.

A VIEW of that ancient city (being a work of 7 years) made in Germantown, according to the history of Josephus, and has given satisfaction to numbers of people) is to be seen at the house of Thomas Preston, opposite the New Bridge, on Germantown road, at One Shilling for grown persons, and Six-pence for children. It is a curious piece of statuary, representing Jerusalem, the temple of Solomon, his royal throne, all the noted houses, hills and towers; and also the sufferings of our Saviour from the garden of Gethsemane to the hill of Golgotha, in the most natural manner. It may be seen every afternoon, from 2 till 9 o'clock at night. §

RUN away the 28th of March last, at Night, from the Subscribers, living on Kent-Island, Queen-Anne's County, Maryland, two Convict Servant Men, viz.

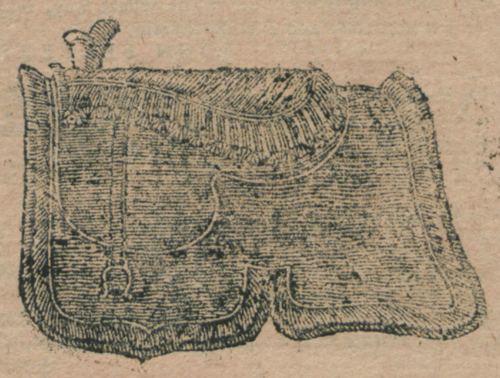
EDWARD PONTING, born in Bristol, about 25 Years of Age, 5 Feet 6 or 7 Inches high, has a pert impudent Look, thin Visage, with brown curled Hair, is by Trade a Shoemaker, and has some blue Marks on the upper Part of his Hands, near the Thumbs, which are unknown: Had on, when he went away, an old Bloom coloured Wilton Coat, spotted Flannel Jacket, a Pair of half-worn Leather Breeches, old blue ribbed Stockings, old Shoes, with plated Buckles, half-worn Castor Hat, and a Check Shirt.

EVAN DAVIS, born in Wales, or on the Borders thereof, about 30 Years of Age, 5 Feet 9 or 10 Inches high, a well set Fellow, round Visage, a short Nose, which turns up at the End, sandy Complexion, and has short curled or frizzled Hair; he speaks pretty good English, but a little in the Welsh Dialect; and has been bred to Plantation Business: Had on, and took with him, when he went away, two short Jackets, the uppermost double breasted, of blue coarse Cloth, with white Metal Buttons, the other yellowish striped Flannel, or Swanskin, a Pair of blue Plush Breeches, much worn, and mended on the Knees with blue Cloth, two Pair of Stockings, the one blue Yarn, the other white Yarn, or Cotton, a good Pair of Shoes, with broad Brass Buckles, an Ozenbrigs Shirt, and a Felt Hat, almost new.

Both the above Servants were imported into the Province of Maryland, last November, in the Ship Randolph, Captain Price.

Whoever takes up and secures the said Convicts, so that their Masters may get them again, shall receive, for each, FIFTY SHILLINGS, and reasonable Charges besides, if brought home, paid by JONATHAN ROBERTS, ¶6W. SAMUEL BLUNT.

N. B. It is likely they may have forged Passes, or Discharges, as PONTING can write, though very indifferently.



JOHN YOUNG, senior, Sadler,

In Second-street, opposite the Baptist Meeting, and next door to Mr. Alexander Huston's, makes in the best and most fashionable manner, and sells at the lowest rates;

GENTLEMENS English hunting full welted and plain hogskin, buckskin and neats leather seated saddles, Ladies velvet, buckskin seated, plush and cloth hunting side ditto, fringed, laced and bound with leather, demi ditto, common ditto, demi peaks, half ditto, race ditto, Scotch burrs, breasted saddles, king's and common hunting ditto, carrying or pack ditto, housings and saddle cloths of every kind, fringed, laced or bound, portmanteaus, saddle and pistol bags.

All kinds of cart gears, such as collars, blind-halters, coilers, &c. Leather jockey caps, fire buckets, &c. Bridles of every kind, boot garters.

He has likewise a quantity of English riveted square cantle trees, hunting side ditto, curry and mane combs, large and small spunges, two and four horse thongs, for coach whips; also an assortment of sadlery ware, which he retails for CASH only.

N. B. Said YOUNG has a very large and neat assortment of SADDLES now on hand; he makes a considerable abatement to country store-keepers, masters of vessels, shallop-men or others, who take a quantity to sell again.

As he is determined to procure the best of stuff, he hopes to give satisfaction to those who please to employ him. ¶

FIVE POUNDS Reward.

RUN away on Friday, the 7th of this instant April, from the subscriber in Philadelphia, an apprentice lad, named ABRAHAM OUTON STURGES, by trade a taylor, about 19 years of age, of a dark visage, and black hair, well set, about 5 feet 6 inches high, had on when he went away, a light coloured broadcloth coat turned, with white metal buttons on it, a scarlet vest, one pair of black cloth breeches, worsted stockings, and white shirt, pinchbeck buckles in his shoes, a castor hat, almost new; his other clothes were a short brown coat, with yellow buttons, one short cloth coloured double breasted vest, and fustian breeches, new, three check shirts, half worn, and one pair of worsted stockings. Whoever secures said apprentice in any goal, so as his master may have him again, or brings him back, shall receive the above reward, and reasonable charges, paid by ¶ JOHN STILLE.

N. B. All masters of vessels and others are forbid to harbour or carry him off at their peril.

RUN away from the subscriber, living in London-grove township, Chester county, on the 5th of this instant May, one JOHN CUPPLEDICK, an Englishman, about 5 feet 10 inches high, of a swarthy complexion; had on a new wool hat, a new brown nap jacket, ozenbrigs shirt, check trowsers, a pair of old pumps, with brass buckles; he has an impediment in his speech; he took with him a black mare and saddle, with a blaze in her face, lately shod before, and low in flesh. Whoever takes up said mare, and runaway, shall have a reward of Three Pounds, or for the runaway Forty Shillings, and Twenty Shillings for the mare, and reasonable charges, paid by FRANCIS LAMBORN.

N. B. All masters of vessels are forbid carrying him off at their peril. ‖

TO BE SOLD,

A PIECE of LAND, situate beyond the third Mile Stone, on Frankford Road, in the Northern Liberties of Philadelphia, containing 22 Acres and a Half, whereof a small Part is Meadow, on which is a small Tenement, and an Orchard of grafted Fruit Trees; now in the Tenure of Daniel Kuhlman. Also another Piece of Land, adjoining the above, containing 24 Acres and a Half. Both bounded on the back Part by Gunner's Run. And a Lot and Tenement on the West Side of Second-street, in Philadelphia, near the Corner of Sassafras-street, being 16 Feet in Front, and 100 Feet deep, to a 4 Feet Alley leading into Sassafras-street. Those who incline to purchase any Part of the Premises, may be further informed by applying to JOHN PEMBERTON in Philadelphia, or GEORGE DILLWYN in Burlington. ‡ Tbctf.

Will COVER this SEASON, The
BELLSIZE ARABIAN.

HE is a genuine Arab, of superior form, full size, great strength, and admirable beauty. This very elegant horse has already been largely described in the News-Papers, since which his stock has shewn, that all that has been said is unequal to his natural powers. He is a horse of great vigour, and the certainty of his being a sure foal-getter cannot be better proved than by the breeding state of the mares he has covered.---There are now in and about this city such large, boney and beautiful colts got by him as the continent cannot equal, which shews that he is fitted for mixing his blood with our country mares, to breed for the saddle or carriage, or with high blooded mares for the turf. As he was originally sent over to improve the breed, to keep close to this intention, so that the public may receive the advantage, he will now cover under the care of John Perkins, at the stables in Fifth-street, at Thirty Shillings a leap, or Three Pounds the season, and in either case Five Shillings to the groom.

The said PERKINS has procured good and secure pastures for mares, at a moderate price per week.

MADE and sold by the SUBSCRIBER, in Darby, six miles from Philadelphia, wire work of all sorts, particularly for flaxseed and wheat. And as he is the original inventor and institutor of that branch of business in America (and has not instructed any other person in the mystery thereof) apprehends himself best entitled to the benefits of the same, and in all probability is the best master of the work, having made all the wire boults used in the cities of Philadelphia and New-York, and likewise a considerable number of rolling screens for cleansing wheat, and has had long experience in the use of them; therefore any person applying by letter or otherwise, may be speedily supplied with wire work of any kind, which he will warrant; and by enquiring of Hugh M'Cullough, John Hall, M'Neal and Tolbert, Wills and Jackson, William and Andrew Caldwell, Conyngham and Nesbitt, Samuel Carson, and John Brown, of the city of Philadelphia; Peter Cloper, Thompson and Alexander, of New-York, all in the flaxseed way; and of Robert Lewis, Samuel Shaw, William Clark, Samuel Morton, Adam Hoops, and John Brown, all in the wheat way, may be informed of his abilities, and success therein.

JOHN SELLERS.

Imported in the last Vessels from London, Liverpool and Bristol,
A very neat Assortment of MERCHANDIZE,
To be disposed of on reasonable TERMS, by
WALTER and BERTLES SHEE.

DROPT, some time ago, between Chester and Darby, a pair of SADDLE-BAGS, in which were a shirt, stock and buckle, two pair of stockings, one cravat, one pair of pumps, &c. &c. Whoever has found said BAGS, and will fetch them to the Death of the Fox, in Chestnut-street, Philadelphia, the Ship in Darby, or to Mrs. Withey's, in Chester, shall have Ten Shillings *reward.* †

Just imported on board the Pennsylvania Packet, Captain Falconer, and are now opening, by
PHILIP WILSON,
At his STORE in Front-street, near Chestnut-street corner,
An Assortment of Linen-drapery, Hosiery and Birmingham and Sheffield Cutlery and Toy-ware, &c.

Said WILSON also expects on board the next Vessels from London, Liverpool and Dublin, a very general Assortment of GOODS, suitable to the Season, all which he will sell on the lowest TERMS, *for CASH, or on a short CREDIT.*

Just imported in the Unity, Captain STORY, from London, and to be sold on reasonable terms, for cash, or short credit, by
STEPHEN COLLINS,
At his store, in Second-street, nearly opposite the English Church,

A NEAT and large assortment of European and East-India Goods, suitable to the season.

BOULTING CLOTHS.
A large and general ASSORTMENT of fine, superfine, middling and coarse, to be sold by
ELLIS LEWIS,
At his house in Second-street, near Spruce-street, opposite Archibald M'Call's; where millers may be supplied with the best of cloths, and on the lowest terms.

HE has had great experience in the millering business; therefore will give the necessary directions, in recommending the most suitable cloths to the various parts of the boulting of flour, &c. Tbc.

To be LETT, for a term of YEARS,

A COMMODIOUS merchant mill, and forge, situate on Chester creek, about 5 miles from navigable water; said mill hath two water wheels, and plenty of water in the driest seasons; said forge hath three fires, and plenty of water; there is also a great quantity of wood ready cut, and a quantity of coals in the coal-house, a good stone dwelling-house, and several houses fit for forgemen, also stables, smith's shop and tools, and other utensils for carrying on the forge business. Likewise to be sold, a valuable plantation, in the township of Fallowfield, Chester county, situate on the great road leading from Lancaster road to Ellis Pusey's mill; said plantation contains about 270 acres, 90 thereof cleared, the rest well timbered, 8 acres of meadow, and 40 more may be made, and well watered; there is also a dwelling-house and orchard on the same. Also to be sold, a commodious brick house, and store-houses, in the borough of Chester. Whoever inclines to deal for any of the above described premises, may be further informed, by applying to the subscriber, living in Middletown, Chester county,

‡ WILLIAM PENNELL.

TO BE SOLD,

A LIKELY NEGROE WENCH, about 20 Years of Age, with a Child 17 Months old; she is very handy at, and much accustomed to Country Work, and is advertised for Sale for no Fault, but the Want of Employ. For Terms of Sale, enquire of the Printers hereof. Tbc.

THE partnership of JOHN WHARTON and JONATHAN HANSON, Mast-makers, having expired the 20th of February last, those that have any accounts against said partnership, are desired to bring them in; and those indebted, to make payment to said Wharton, who is impowered to receive the same.

N. B. JOHN WHARTON carries on the Mast-making business, as usual. ¶ 6W.

WHEREAS Henry Wagener, of Bethel Township, in Lancaster County, obtained an Obligation of Richard Robinson, of Lebanon Township, in the same County, for the Sum of One Hundred Pounds; and whereas the said Robinson has got a sufficient Receipt for the same, signed by the said Wagener, in June 1768; these are to forewarn all Persons from taking an Assignment of said Obligation, as I will not pay the same, for the Reason aforesaid. RICHARD ROBINSON. ‖

To be LETT, by the SUBSCRIBER,

A THREE story brick house, kitchen, wash-house, and stables, and between one and two acres of pasture ground, situate a little beyond the meadow, in Second-street, continued; now in the occupation of John Naglee. Also a tan-yard near the same place. JOSHUA EMLEN. †

IF any family or families would be willing to settle on the Island of St. John, in the Gulph of St. Lawrence, on lot No. 35, or lot No. 64, by applying to the printers hereof, may hear of advantageous terms.

N. B. The above lots are good soil, and well situated for a fishery. Lot No. 35, hath 800 acres of cleared land on it, and a number of houses, with two saw-mills, and a grist-mill, and is the best intersected with water of any lot upon the Island; the bay of Trecadie, well known to fishermen, belongs to this lot. ‖

STRAYED or STOLEN, from the Subscriber's meadow on Greenwich island, the 25th of March last, a dark brown HORSE, 11 years old, about 14 hands high, with a star in his forehead, a small snip on his nose, some white on his hind feet, a thick bushy mane and tail, not shod, paces when rode, and is remarkable for shifting his feet, but trots altogether in a carriage, and has some saddle marks on the near side. Whoever takes up the said horse, and secures him, so that the owner may have him again, shall have Fifteen Shillings reward; but if stolen, and will secure both horse and thief, so as he shall be brought to justice, shall receive Three Pounds, and reasonable charges, paid by

¶ RICHARD HUMPHREYS.

Salem, April 13, 1769.

WHEREAS the partnership of BARTRAM and LITHGOW is expired, all persons indebted to said partnership, are requested to pay off their respective ballances immediately. DANIEL LITHGOW carries on the business, as usual, at Salem Bridge, and has just got a neat assortment of goods, suitable for the season, which he will sell on very reasonable terms. He thanks the public for their former favours, and hopes for a continuance thereof.

RUN away from the subscriber, a Mulattoe boy, named Stephen, between 14 and 15 years old, middling tall, but slim, with black curled hair, tolerable good countenance; had on, when he went away, a blue cloth jacket, with a strap buckled round him, ozenbrigs shirt, a pair of thickset breeches, too long for him, old stockings and shoes, with buckles; he has followed sweeping of chimneys some time past, and perhaps may have got a blanket and materials for sweeping. Whoever takes up the said Mulattoe boy, and secures him, so as his master may have him again, shall have Fifteen Shillings reward, if taken in the country; and Ten Shillings, if taken up in Philadelphia, and all reasonable charges, paid by HENRY WOODROW, living in Front-street, above Pool's bridge.

N. B. All masters of vessels are desired not to take him off at their peril. ✿

WILLIAM TOD

HAS just imported in the last vessels from Europe, a large and very neat assortment of SADDLERY, viz. Ladies hunting side saddles, with scarlet, green and blue covers, trimmed with gold and silver lace, and gold fringes, ditto with silk and worsted fringes, mens hunting saddles, with holsters, both plain and trimmed, with double and single rows of gold and silver lace, with a great variety of bridles, velvet hunting caps, and silver mounted hunting whips, with thongs; all sorts of bits and stirrups, both plated and polished; also a few of the best wax flambeaus, which he will sell on the lowest terms (for ready money only) at his store in Arch-street, above Fourth-street, near the Academy.

IF GEORGE IRVINE, who went from London to the West-Indies, and from thence to North-America, in the year 1756, be yet living, and will apply to Dr. JOHN KEARSLEY, junior, in Philadelphia, or acquaint him by letter where he is, he will hear of something very much to his advantage. Any person who is pleased to give information concerning him, will be more than thankfully rewarded.

N. B. He was bred a ship-carpenter, is a well set middle sized man, and is now about 40 years of age. Tbc 3 M.

To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER,
The following tracts of land, situate in Cumberland county, and province of Pennsylvania, viz.

A TRACT of about 300 acres, 70 whereof is clear, with a good dwelling-house, Barn, &c. within 5 miles of Shippensburgh. Also the undivided half of 240 acres of rich well timbered woodland, within one mile of Shippensburgh aforesaid, both in Hopewell township. Likewise about 150 acres of improved land, in Middleton township, within 3 miles of Carlisle. Also a tract of 300 acres of rich well timbered land, in Tuscoraro Valley, a great deal of it fit for hemp and meadow. Likewise 283 acres, on Juniata, about 3 miles up stream from Capt. James Patterson's; there is belonging to it about 80 acres of a rich walnut bottom, almost surrounded by said river, fit for hemp and meadow. Also 240 acres on the said Patterson's mill-run, within two miles of said Juniata, a quantity of meadow may be made thereon, and the upland fit for wheat. Likewise the undivided half of 250 acres, on the heads of Patterson's mill-run; the said land is extremely good, it producing a great quantity of locust and walnut trees; the three last tracts are situate in Fermanagh township, within about 28 miles of Carlisle, and contiguous to the water carriage on Juniata. Lastly, a commodious lot in Carlisle, next to the Court-house; it has on it some office houses, a pailed garden, and a draw well of constant water. Whoever inclines to purchase any of the said tracts or lot, may apply to the said subscriber, at his house in Shearman's Valley, who will shew them, or any of them, and make indisputable titles to the purchasers, and settle the terms of payment.

FRANCIS WEST. §

TO BE SOLD,

THE PLANTATION late of Thomas Robinson, deceased, situate in Lower Dublin township, in the county of Philadelphia, upon the great road leading from Philadelphia to Bristol, 12 miles from the former, and 8 from the latter; containing about 300 acres, 180 thereof cleared, the remainder well timbered and watered, having thereon erected a square log house, with a cellar under it, well walled, and chimneys at each end; a well of good water at the door, a large frame barn 36 feet by 24, and two large barracks, all built last summer, and covered with cedar shingles; the situation is high and pleasant, having a very extensive prospect up and down the river Delaware, and several miles up Ancocas creek. It will be sold together or divided, as may best suit the purchaser. Any person inclinable to purchase, may apply to the subscribers, or either of them, and know the terms of sale. WILLIAM PARR, PETER ROBINSON.

To be LEASED for Twenty years,

A VERY valuable tract of LAND, lying on the river Potowmack, in Frederick county, called Chew's Farm, containing 5000 acres, and adjoining to his Lordship's Conecocheague Manor. Said land is laid off into lots of a hundred acres, so as to make it convenient to the tenants. The soil is exceeding rich, more so than any in the county, and well situated for a market of whatever is made. Those who are any ways inclinable to lease, are desired to apply to Dr. Charles Neall, who now lives on part of said land. SAMUEL CHEW, BENNETT CHEW.

A CHOICE parcel of the most curious carnations ever in Pennsylvania; also a small quantity of hyacinths now in bloom and in pots; likewise some very fine tulips, to be sold by DAVID READ, gardiner and seedsman, in Spring-Garden. Who also has to sell a variety of grafted fruit trees, and garden seeds of the best kinds. §

TO BE SOLD,

A PLANTATION, situate in Whitpain township, Philadelphia county, bounded on Skippack road, 2 miles above Samuel Morris's mills, and 15 from Philadelphia, containing 200 acres of land, 120 cleared, the rest woodland; the plough land is good for winter or spring grain, some of the ground being fresh, and some well limed, it being but two miles from the kiln, good watered meadow, and more may be watered, with a stream of water running through the place, large enough for a fulling-mill. There are upwards of 200 loads of dung now at the barn, which has been reserved for the meadows; also some rich bottom, that produces a great quantity of grass; there is hay, yearly, to maintain ten cows, and four horses, a good bearing orchard, a large two story stone house, 4 rooms on a floor, and a good cellar, a pump of good water at the door, a large new barn, 57 by 25 feet, one half stone, a good spring, and a new stone house over it, near the door, and fences in good repair; it is a healthy and pleasant situation; the title indisputable, and will be sold on reasonable terms, either together, or 140 acres, with the buidling and meadows, or as would best suit the purchaser. For terms of sale, apply on the premises, to

¶ CALEB BYRNES.

Just imported in the Buchanan, Captain Cochran, from Glasgow, and the Unity, Captain Story, from London, and to be sold on moderate terms, by
SEMPLE and BUCHANAN,
At their store in Front-street (the store William Semple occupied) opposite Mr. John Reynell's,

An assortment of MERCHANDIZE, chiefly consisting of a variety of silk gauzes, of almost all widths and patterns; ditto of Kenting lawns and handkerchiefs; thread stockings; Scotch threads from No. 5 to No. 60; ozenbrigs, saggathies, durants, shaloons, broadcloths, Russia drabs, Russia sheeting, quadruple silesias, callicoes, cottons, chints, thicksets, checks, &c.

At same store may be had a variety of other GOODS, suitable to this and other seasons; among which are iron weights, rice, Books, &c. &c. &c.

SCHEME, in TWO CLASSES, of a LOTTERY, for raising the Sum of *One Thousand Six Hundred and Eighty seven Pounds, Ten Shillings*, to be applied to the Payment of the Arrears of Debt due for the erecting and finishing the German Reformed Church, and the German Lutheran Church in York Town; and for the Payment of the Arrears of Debt due for erecting and finishing the German Lutheran Churches at Heidelberg and Lebanon, both of Lancaster County.

CLASS the FIRST.

1	Prize of	£ 200	is	£ 200
2		100		200
4		50		200
8		25		200
20		10		200
40		5		200
1150		2		2300
1225	Prizes,			£ 3500
3275	Blanks.	Carried to the Second Class,		1000
4500	Tickets, at 20 s. each, are			£ 4500

CLASS the SECOND.

1	Prize of	£ 700	is	£ 700
1		500		500
3		200		600
5		100		500
10		50		500
30		25		750
51		10		510
1230		3		3690
1331	Prizes,			£ 7750
3169	Blanks.			
4500	Tickets, at 30 s. each, are			£ 6750
		Brought from the First Class,		1000
				£ 7750

The Legislature of this Province having favoured the Application for the above Lottery, and passed a Law for the carrying on the same, for the good Purposes thereby intended.---By the same Law appointed Philip Marsteller, Christopher Wegman, John Weiser, Simon Coppenhever, George Swingel, Henry William Stiegel, of Lancaster County, Godfrey Rœhrer, and Christopher Witman, of Berks County, Martin Eichelberger, George Keentz, John Hays, Jacob Dowdel, Joseph Welshantz, John Gukes, and John Schultz, of York County, Managers.---It is hoped that the Public will, as far as in their Power, kindly encourage and assist in forwarding the same, seeing the Necessity arose from pious and religious Motives, in erecting Houses for public Worship.---And the Adventurers have the utmost Security by Law, for the faithful Discharge of the Trust committed to the Managers, and the Scheme equal, if not superior to any yet published in this Province. The Adventurers in the First Class are to have the particular Privilege to renew their Tickets in the Second Class, within 3 Months after drawing the First; but if they neglect renewing them in Time, the Managers may sell them to any Persons who may apply; and if any Person drawing a Prize, neglects to apply for the same within 9 Months after the Drawing of each Class, the same will be applied according to Law.---The Prizes will be subject to a Deduction of 15 per Cent.

The Drawing of the First Class will be on the 14th of June next, at the Borough of Lancaster, or sooner, if sooner full; when and where each of the Adventurers that please may attend, and the Prizes will be immediately published in the Pennsylvania Gazette, and Chronicle, and paid by the Manager who signs the Ticket.

Tickets may be had of the several Managers abovementioned; also of Mr. Henry Keppele, junior, Mr. Jacob Barge, Mr. William Goddard, and Messieurs Hall and Sellers, in Philadelphia; of Adam Simon Kuhn, Esq; Matthias Slough, Esq; Mr. William Bousman, and Mr. Christopher Crawford, in Lancaster Borough; of Mrs. Eagy, in Manheim; of Mr. George Fry, in Middletown; of Mr. Frederick Hummel, in Hummel's Town; of Mr. Charles Shade, in Williamsburg; of Mr. Alexander Sheffer, and Mr. Philip Erp, in Heidelberg Town; of Mr. Jacob Seltzer, in Womelieders Town; of Mr. Isaac Myer, Mr. Nicholas Housecker, and Mr. Benjamin Spycker, in Tulpehokin; of Henry Miller, near Ephrata; of Mr. John Schultz, at Conestogoe; of Mr. Daniel Levan, in Maxatawny; of Ludwick Klotz, Esq; and Mr. Benjamin Weiser, in Northampton County; of Mr. John Spitler, and Mr. Renicker, in Macollister's Town; of Mr. Nicholas Biddinger, in Abbot's Town; and of Mr. Philip Fishbourn, in Tawney Town. By Order of the Managers,

HENRY WILLIAM STIEGEL.

DEEDS, MORTGAGES, BONDS, WILLS, and all other Kinds of Conveyances, are carefully drawn by ROBERT LEVERS, at the Corner of Smith's Alley, opposite the Three Tun Tavern, in Chestnut-street. Whoever shall be pleased to favour him with their Business, may depend on his observing therein the utmost Accuracy, Secrecy, and Dispatch. ¶